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BRITAIN'S NEW OFFER TO SOVIET

Mr. Strang To Leave On Monday

London, To-day.

Reuter's diplomatic correspondent learns that Sir Eric Phipps (British Ambassador at Paris) and Mr. William Strang (Foreign Office expert who is going to Moscow) were both present at the meeting of the foreign affairs committee of the Cabinet yesterday.

The meeting considered the British reply to the latest Russian Note.

It is learned that Mr. Strang may not be able to leave for Moscow before June 12 as owing to his absence of three weeks from England (when he was in Warsaw) he will have to familiarise himself with a big dossier before embarking on negotiations.

Japanese Reprisal Threats

Tientsin, To-day.

THE China Association called a general meeting last evening to discuss the situation arising from the Japanese demand to surrender four men alleged to have been connected with the murder of Cheng Shikang.

Failing compliance with the request the Japanese are expected to take reprisals.

These, Reuter learns on excellent authority, will probably take the form of complete isolation of the British Concession.

This will involve the closing of all exits and entrances and restrictions on the movements of British subjects, cargo and British shipping, except foodstuffs.

HARDSHIPS FORESEEN

Such action would cause hardships to all residents of the Concession, including many thousands of foreigners of non-British nationality and Chinese.

Owing to inherent difficulties

In any case, these negotiations will have to await the recovery of Sir William Seeds, British Ambassador in Moscow, who is still suffering from the effects of influenza.

Meanwhile, details of the progress of the Anglo-Franco-Soviet negotiations were given by the French Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet, in a long statement on foreign affairs to the Senate foreign affairs commission in Paris yesterday.

NOT MAJOR OBSTACLE

While admitting that certain difficulties had cropped up, M. Bonnet expressed the belief that these did not form a major obstacle.

To the contrary, he was optimistic of eventual success.

M. Bonnet also reported that the Franco-Turkish negotiations were progressing satisfactorily. — Reuter.

GENERAL ELECTION IN NOVEMBER?

London, To-day.

The "Daily Express" claims to be able to predict that a general election will be held in November this year.

It adds, however, that although the Government's decision on the matter has long been fixed, everything will depend upon development of the European situation. — Trans-Ocean.

the French Concession is likely to be similarly involved. — Reuter.

MAN FOUND DEAD IN OFFICE

A shock awaited employees of Anderson, Meyer and Co., when they arrived at work this morning.

One of the staff—an office coolie—was found lying dead on the floor when the premises were opened.

The man had apparently suffered from a convulsion.

LLOYD'S CUT WAR RISK PREMIUMS

London, To-day.

That a more favourable view is taken in the City of the development of international situation in the near future, is manifested by the decision of Lloyd's underwriters substantially to reduce war risk premiums.

For freights through the Mediterranean the additional premium is to be reduced from 12/6 to 1/6%.

For freights destined for ports in the Near East and Far East the premium will be reduced from 22/6

Chinese Bankers Arrested

Shanghai, To-day.

TWO well-known local Chinese bankers have been arrested by the Municipal Police in the International Settlement at the instigation of the Japanese authorities.

The Japanese allege one of the men is a General and the other a major in the guerilla forces in the Shanghai area.

They are respectively the managing director and director of the Far Eastern Finance Corporation, a Chinese concern.

Both are being held by the Settlement police pending production of evidence by the Japanese. — Reuter.

or 25/6 respectively to 7/6. The war risk premium for freights to United States or Atlantic ports, Spain and Portugal, will be reduced by 2/6, from 7/6 to 5/6. — Trans-Ocean.



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CHATTER ABOUT FILMS AND FILM STARS

BY LEDO

"MIDNIGHT" WITH CLAUDETTE COLBERT AND DON AMECHE

AT THE QUEEN'S AND ALHAMBRA TO-DAY

A sprightly comedy this, a little in the I Met Him in Paris mold, but gay, frolicsome, and ingenious for all that. Like its illustrious compatriot, it has Claudette Colbert as its whimsical heroine.

Here Miss Colbert is Eve Peabody, an American girl who lands in Paris in a pretty evening frock sans baggage or even a single centime. Along with her clothes she has lost the expense money of her European vacation at Monte Carlo. In no time at all she has picked up a friendship with a good-looking Paris taxi-driver, been adopted by an eccentric wealthy Parisian who uses her to break up his wife's infatuation for a young waster. His is one of those reverse plays; Eve is to be bait for the playboy, thereby turning his philandering wife back to him. So the penniless Eve becomes a phony countess, installed in a nice way, of course in a swank suite at the Ritz.

You'll like Miss Colbert and you'll like Don Ameche as the taxi driver. After the false tinsel of Zaza it's a relief to see Claudette herself again. John Barrymore steals a real hit as the wise Parisian with the recreant wife.

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AT THE KING'S

And now for Shirley Temple in "Just Around the Corner" to-day at the King's.

The ingenuity of those Hollywood script-writers is inexhaustible. Here is another little-girl-makes-

good story, and yet it somehow has a new and interesting twist.

Shirley's father (Charles Farrell) explains the economic slump to her by showing her a cartoon in a paper-picture of Uncle Sam being pulled in all directions by various kinds of people who want to get money out of him.

Shirley gets him mixed up with Claude Gillingwater, a financier who is somebody else's Uncle Sam, complete with beard and everything.

Shirley decides to help Uncle Sam to get prosperous again, so she stages a benefit concert.

In the end, of course, she brings happiness to the lovers, the financier, and everybody else.

MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER



But don't worry about the plot. Go along to see Shirley looking as cute as ever, dancing as cleverly as ever, and singing an amusing song called "Happy Little Ditty".

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HOLLYWOOD LOWDOWN

"The White Rajah", an original story by Errol Flynn, will serve the Warner Bros. star as his next starring vehicle.

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John Garfield, recently seen in "Four Daughters", stars with Pat O'Brien in "Dust be My Destiny". The film is based on a novel by Jerome Odlum, and is produced at Warner Bros.

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Bert Wheeler of the Wheeler & Woolsey fame appears with Marie Wilson in "Lighthouse Harry," which is still in production at Warner Bros. The studio has decided to seek additional vehicles in which they can star as a team.

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John Payne who played the band leader in "Garden of the Moon" joins the cast of "The Story of Knute Rockne." The cast includes Pat O'Brien, Wayne Morris, Rosemary Lane, Jane Bryan and Ronald Regan.

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Olivia de Havilland has been lent by Warner Bros. to Sam Goldwyn for the feminine lead in "Raffles", in which she will appear opposite David Niven.

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Warner Bros. announce that during next month they will release "Four's A Crowd" and "Angels with Dirty Faces" in the King's Theatre. The first film star Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland, Rosalind Russell and Patric Knowles, and James Cagney, Pat O'Brien and the Dead End kids comprise the cast of "Angels with Dirty Faces".

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Paul Muni has begun preparations for his role as the great composer in "Beethoven", he has just completed "Juarez" with Bette Davis at Warner Bros. Studios.

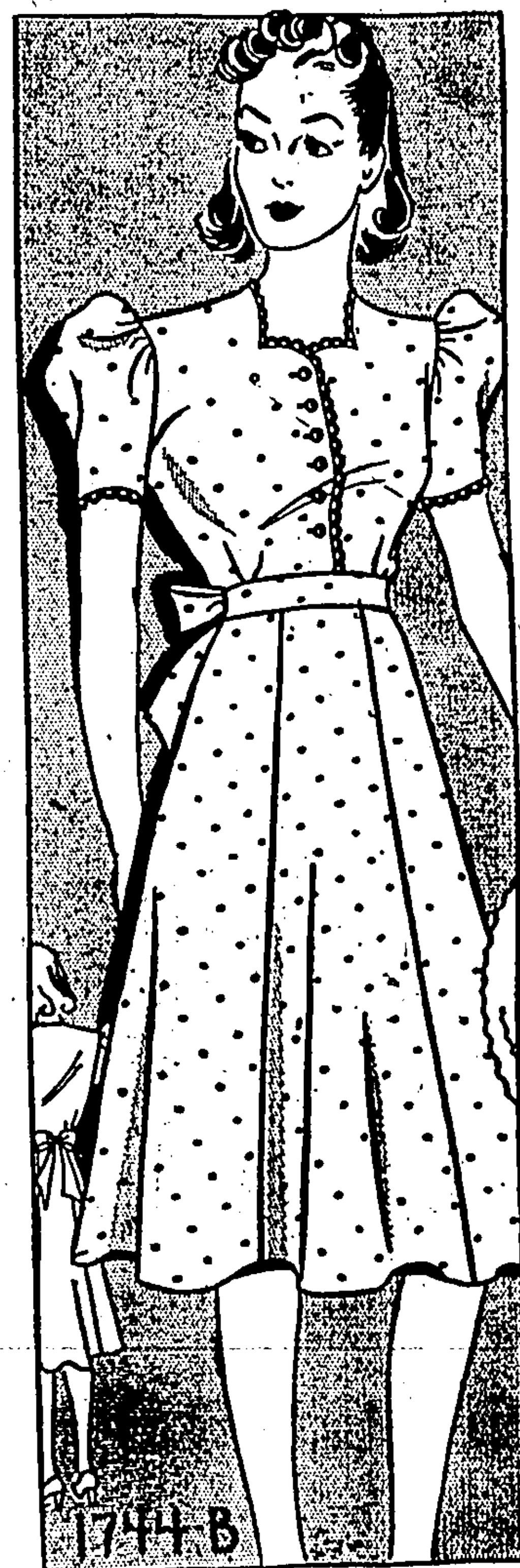
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Warner Bros. announce that "Disraeli" one of the talking screen's earliest successes, will be produced again with Claude Rains playing the role first acted by George Arliss.

New Basic, Fashion

The charm of a simple dress like this aside from the pretty frill, the heart-shaped neckline, and lissom silhouette—is that you can accessorise it so differently from day to day. Wear it in a vivid print that flashes beneath your coat, and it is set off by dark hat, gloves and bag. Wear it in a dark colour, set off by accessories in your favourite high shade. During the summer, it will be charming in white with bright accessories.

This frock has unusually good lines. The bodice hugs in at the waist, and has wide-shouldered sleeves. The paneled skirt is fluent and graceful.



Warner Bros. are rushing preparations for "The Story of the Wright Bros.", which will deal with the development of the airplane. The studio is now negotiating for a star to portray Orville Wright in the film cavalcade of flying. Gary Cooper and Henry Fonda are the current candidates for the role.

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Humphrey Bogart will play his first hero role since he left the stage when he portrays Clem Spender, the artist, opposite Bette Davis and Miriam Hopkins in the Warner Bros. adaptation of "The Old Maid".

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RKO has signed Fredric March to make the screen version of the Broadway Play entitled THE AMERICAN WAY.

News has just been received that Jeffrey Lynn, Warner Bros. Star (who appeared at the King's Theatre in "Four Daughters") has been given the lead of the American Revolutionary Picture "Nathan Hale."

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MAKE THEM AT HOME

Make twelve small muslin bags and fill them with a tablespoonful of the following mixture; and tie them securely:

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IDEAL DIET FOR DIGESTIVE DISTURBANCES

The big problem with sufferers from gastritis or other digestive disturbances is how to avoid pain and discomfort when eating. The inflamed stomach walls are so sensitive that solid foods can not be retained. Even liquid foods are often vomited.

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To one cupful of oatmeal add one-eighth of a teaspoonful of powdered sulphur (which you buy in a drug store), and one teaspoonful of finely shaved or grated pure castile soap. Stir them together thoroughly.

Use one bag every evening for twelve consecutive days. Saturate it in warm water and rub the face until it is clean. Allow the liquid to dry on the skin and then rinse the face with warm water followed by cold water. Then apply the following lotion:

To one cupful of cold water add with an eye dropper, ten drops of tincture of plain benzoin. Leave this lotion on your skin over night and in the morning wash your face thoroughly with a stiffish sponge and plenty of cold water. Use a reliable astringent lotion as a foundation for your make-up.

This simple treatment should correct your oily skin condition. You should refrain from using any greasy cream on your skin, and several times a day you should douse your face with cold water. Never apply fresh make-up to your skin without first washing it.

WATCH YOUR DIET

Those of you who do complain of either oily skin, or a combination dry-greasy skin, must watch your diet. Drink plenty of water between meals (not with meals) and refuse to eat starchy foods, sweets, rich desserts, fatty meats. Cocoa, chocolate, tea and coffee all effect your skin so do without them for the time being if you can.

The important thing is to keep your bowels moving freely and regularly.

FOR the tulle wedding a golden bride with a ballerina skirt arabesqued in sequins and an immense veil, and mails in clouds of grey, tinted purple, blue and pink.

What The Stars Foretell

By MARY BLAKE

Much may depend on the way you greet people this day, since any indifference of manner or any apparent lack of interest in whatever is being said to you, would be a grave mistake. You will be judged by what are evidently your characteristics, so try to give evidence of only good ones. A happy disposition, combined with an outward show of compassion and affection, might do much to make this a red letter day for you. You should exercise cautious judgment in the buying of anything, for only by being deliberate can complications be avoided. Be careful that what might appear to be trifles do not develop into important issues through changing conditions. Married and engaged couples, and those who are deeply in love, must allow nothing to provoke them to the extent that they appear to be irritable.

If a woman and June 10 is your birthday, you probably prefer domesticity to either a business or professional career. You probably are essentially a homebody. You most likely never forget a kindness or a wrong. You should learn that it does not pay to harbor or mull over grudges. There is a possibility that you take what your friends say in jest or constructive criticism too seriously. Remember it is a very easy thing to think yourself into an unhappy frame of mind. As a secretary, hostess, demonstrator, broker, saleslady, trained nurse or social welfare worker your services may be greatly appreciated and well rewarded. You ought to display excellent judgment in your selection of a husband, for your matrimonial prospects are most promising.

The child born on June 10, ought to have an exceptional amount of

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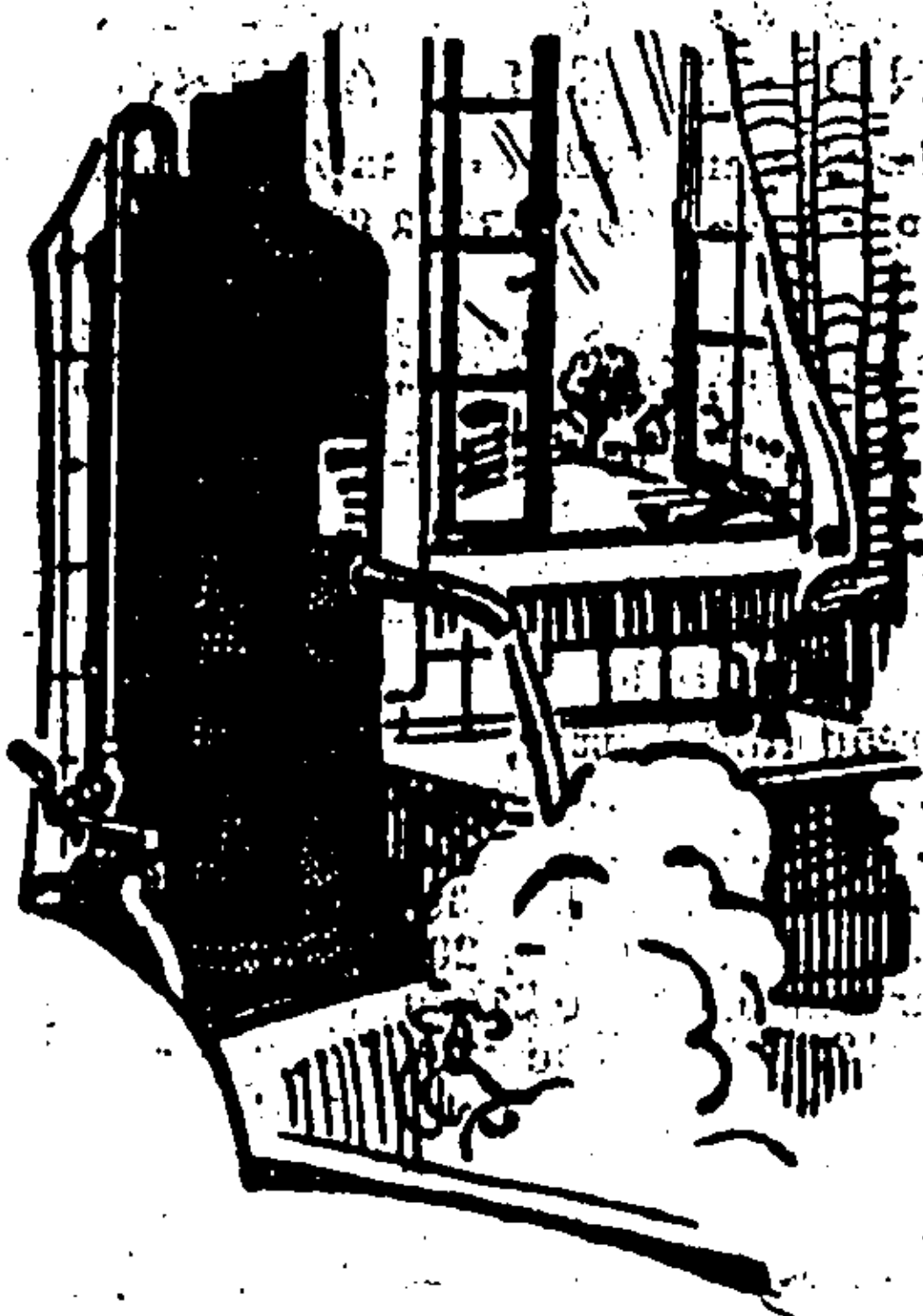
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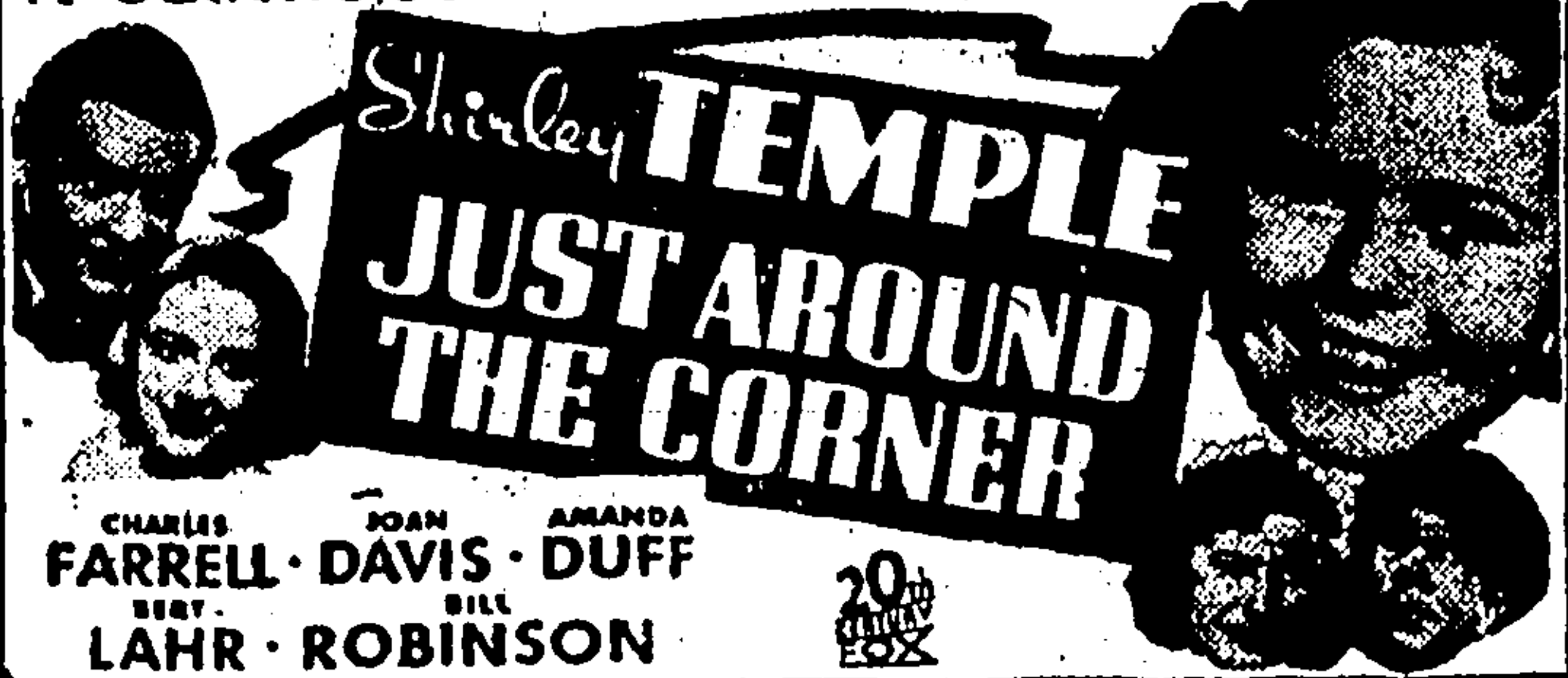
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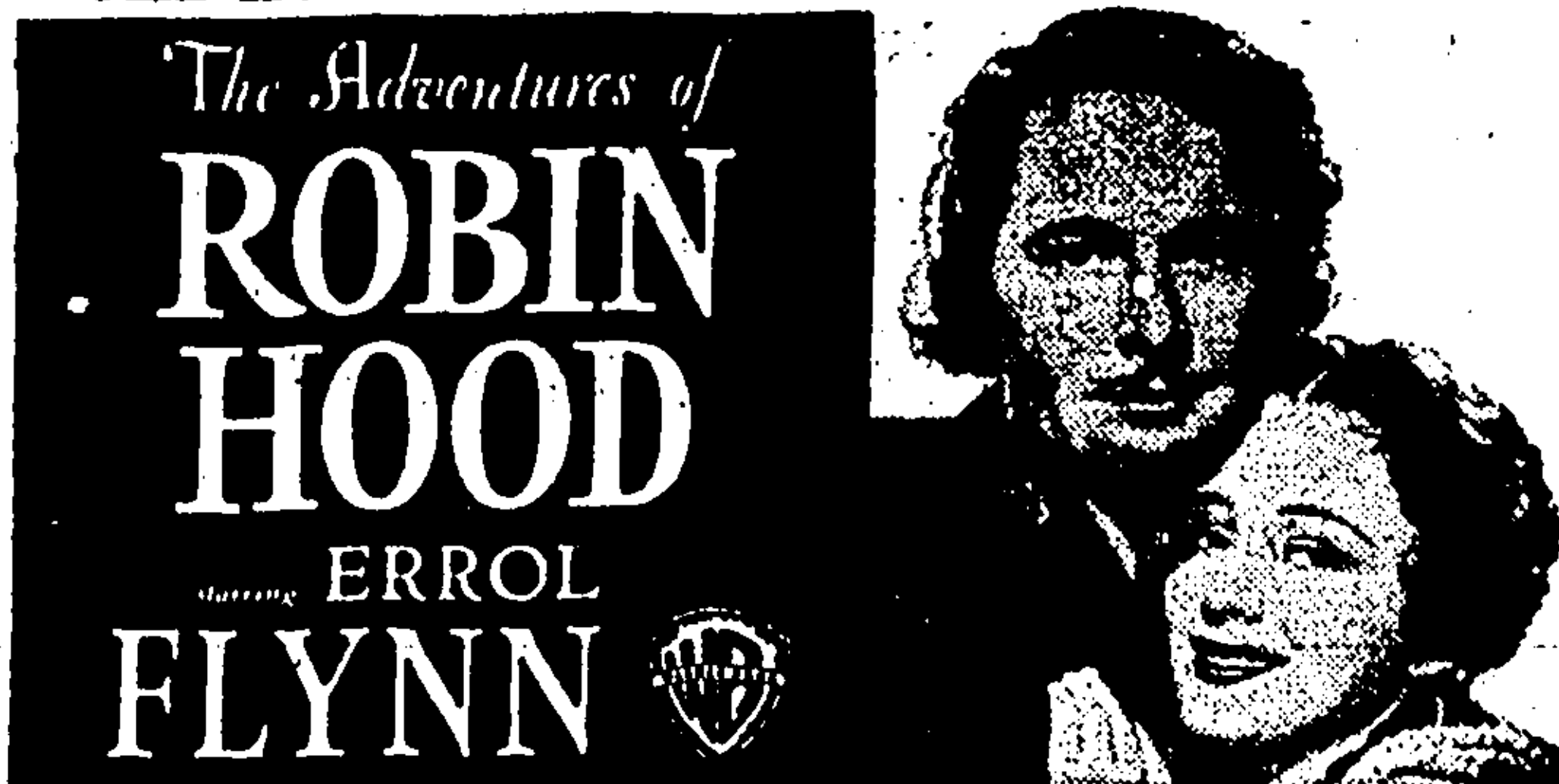
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OLYMPIC GAMES OF 1944 AWARDED TO LONDON

London, To-day.

The International Olympic Committee has decided to allot the 1940 Winter Olympics to Garmisch-Partenkirchen instead of St. Moritz, because the latter refused the Committee's demands to organise skiing exhibitions.

The Committee has decided to allot the 1944 Summer Olympics to London and the 1944 Winter Olympics to Cortinadampezzo, Italy.

Twenty votes were recorded for London. Other cities competing were Lausanne, Rome and Detroit. Both Athens and Budapest dropped out.

Cortinadampezzo received 16 votes for the Winter Olympics.

The Swiss Olympic Committee having informed the I.O.C. that they found it impossible to organise the 1940 Winter Olympics to conform with the programme to which they had agreed, the I.O.C. found itself reluctantly compelled to alter the venue.

Having considered all offers, and taking into consideration the fact that it is only eight months before the Olympics will be held, they decided that only the Italian resort was ready to hold them in February next.

SPECIAL AWARDS

The Coupe Olympique, awarded annually for the outstanding achievement in the development of sport and physical education, has been awarded to the Union des Federation Suedoises Olympique (Sweden).

The I.O.C. has awarded a special Olympic diploma to Leni Reifensahl, of Germany, for producing the Olympic film of the 11th Olympiad in Berlin. The committee considered the film an outstanding sporting film, which helped enormously to spread the ideals of modern Olympism throughout the world.

After conveying congratulations to the cities of London and Cortinadampezzo, the chairman, Count de Baillet-Latour, emphasised that once again every decision was taken outside political consideration, having in view only the interests of sport and the Olympic movement.—Reuter.

BERLIN JEWS ORDERED FROM HOMES

Berlin, June 4.

Although the authorities have often denied intentions of forming Jewish Ghettos in the Reich, the Berlin municipality to-day issued a decree forbidding Jews to live in the suburban residential districts and those areas near the western arterial roads.

Israelites in these districts were "invited" to remove to lodgings in other parts of the town especially reserved for them. They were warned that they would be thrown out of their houses should they not move out in time.

Aryan proprietors of houses rented by Jews must inform the authorities before June 10 whether any of the Jewish tenants still remain in their buildings. Infractions of this ordinance will be punishable by fines and jail terms.—Havas.

GERMANS BUY LAND ALONG YUGOSLAV BORDER

Belgrade, June.

Yugoslav military authorities are worried by the great number of German purchases of Yugoslav land along the Northern Save and Danube frontiers, it was learned to-day.

They fear that the Germans in this country wish to buy as much land as possible in order to increase "their vital space."

In 1938, certain measures were taken to limit sales of land to German peasants. But minority leaders raised such a clamour, and presented such repeated demands, that the Premier, M. Draguchich Tsvetkovich, was recently compelled to envisage some reforms.

The Minister of Agriculture, M. Becklich, promised to change or even abrogate laws limiting sales of land. And it is this promise which is causing the military a good deal of worry, for they fear that again they will see poor German farm labourers become overnight owners of lands along the Northern borders.—Havas.

LORD HAREWOOD'S HOUSE SHOT AT

London, June 5.

Close on the heels of the attack against the Duchess of Kent, it was reported to-night that a window pane was shattered in the Green Street House of Lord Harewood, husband of the Princess Royal, only daughter of Queen Mary and the late King George V.

The pane was broken by a bullet shot from a compressed air pistol, it was believed.—Havas.

BALLOON BARRAGE READY AT ALL TIMES

London, June 5.

Balloons to be used to protect London against air raids would be kept ready for service at all times in the most vulnerable districts of London, the Air Minister announced to-day.

Air squadrons would be attached in turn to the balloon barrage organisation for periods of one month as from June 11, the announcement added.—Havas.

MALAYAN PRINCE WAS LOVER OF ENGLISH EX-TUTOR'S WIFE

London, May 27.

A young Malayan prince, caught with his English ex-tutor's wife in her bedroom after the tutor had forced open the door, shouted: "Sorry, sir"—and bolted.

The prince, to whom the wife referred in one of her letters as the "boy," was cited as co-respondent in the Divorce Court yesterday.

Mr. Bernard Preedy, an officer in the education department of the Federated Malay States, and formerly headmaster of Clifford School, Kuala Kangsar, Perak, Malaya, was granted a decree nisi on the ground of the adultery of his wife, Lilian Josephine, with Raja Mohamed, who was formerly a pupil at Mr. Preedy's school.

Raja Mohamed is a nephew and adopted son of the former Sultan of Perak.

Frequent acts of adultery between the wife and Raja Mohamed and specifically on April 15, 16 and 17, 1937, at the school house, Clifford-road, Kuala Kangsar, were alleged.

Mrs. Preedy denied her husband's allegations. Raja Mohamed did not appear.

The marriage was in August, 1927, at Torpoint, Cornwall, when Mr. Preedy was thirty-two and his wife twenty-one.

They afterwards lived at South Zeal, near Okehampton, Devon; Saltash, Cornwall, and later at Kuala Kangsar.

Mr. Justice Hodson, given judgment, said Mrs. Preedy had given evidence denying adultery. Raja Mohamed was a member of a royal family in Malaya.

He (the Judge) did not propose to allow himself to be influenced in any way by the fact that co-respondent was not present to defend the suit, or by the fact that he had taken no part at all in assisting Mrs. Preedy to repudiate the allegations against her.

When the events relating to the petition occurred, the husband was suffering from neurasthenia.

In 1932 Mrs. Preedy left her husband in Malaya and came home. There was a dispute as to the circumstances in which she did so.

Mr. Preedy said she did so declaring that she intended to leave him for good. She did not admit that, and stated that she went home because she was ill, and with the full intention of returning to her husband, and that she corresponded with him for a time.

She said that in October that year she set out to rejoin him, and only turned back because he told her to go home.

"I believe the separation was brought about by Mrs. Preedy's wish to leave him," said the Judge, "and that she told him afterwards she wanted a divorce and said there was material on which she could be divorced."

Nothing, however, was done, and the parties lived apart until 1936.

During the separation, Mr. Preedy voluntarily paid his wife an allowance which in proportion to his income, was fair and not ungenerous.

He saw her on one or two occasions in 1935, when he was home on leave, and a good deal of her talk was about her debts and financial difficulties. Whether that had any bearing on her subsequent conduct or not, she rejoined him in Malaya in 1936.

WIFE SAID RAJA WAS A "NICE-MANNERED BOY"

He (the Judge) was unable to accept the wife's statement that, having invited her to come back, her husband at once turned against her with hatred, and made it plain that he wanted no more to do with her.

They lived together, not in great harmony, in 1936 and the early part of 1937, and it was during this time that the wife's association with Raja Mohamed began.

Raja Mohamed had been a pupil at the school while Mrs. Preedy was in England. He began to take the wife out horse-riding, and Mr. Preedy's suspicions were aroused.

Mr. Preedy asked his wife if she had miscondacted herself with Raja Mohamed. She replied that she had not done so, and that he was a "nice-mannered boy."

On April 9 she went to Penang for three days without her husband. She was there in the society of Mohamed, but there was no allegation that they committed adultery there.

On the day the wife returned from Penang her husband went into hospital, suffering from neurasthenia.

He was a man who kept control of his feelings, and was no doubt suffering a very considerable strain.

STAYED ALL NIGHT IN THE BUNGALOW

The Judge said he believed that Mr. Preedy was genuinely suffering from neurasthenia and not engaged, as his wife alleged, in laying a trap to ensnare her with the co-respondent.

That night Raja Mohamed stayed in Mr. Preedy's bungalow. By that time the relationship was such that the co-respondent was in love with Mrs. Preedy to her knowledge, and she was, at any rate, fond of him. They were in constant association for the next few days.

Mrs. Preedy visited her husband in hospital but did not disclose the extent of her association with Mohamed or the fact that he had stayed all night in the bungalow.

Eventually Mr. Preedy told his wife he was coming home on April 18. In fact, he returned on April 17.

The evidence of that day represented the climax in the case. Mrs. Preedy had stated that the co-respondent came to the house that night because she was frightened to be alone, though she had told her husband she was not and had tried to get a woman to stay with her, without success.

It was hardly an adequate explanation for having Mohamed there. She could surely have gone to the house of some friends.

What happened on April 17 was that Mr. Preedy returned home with a friend, a Mr. Walker.

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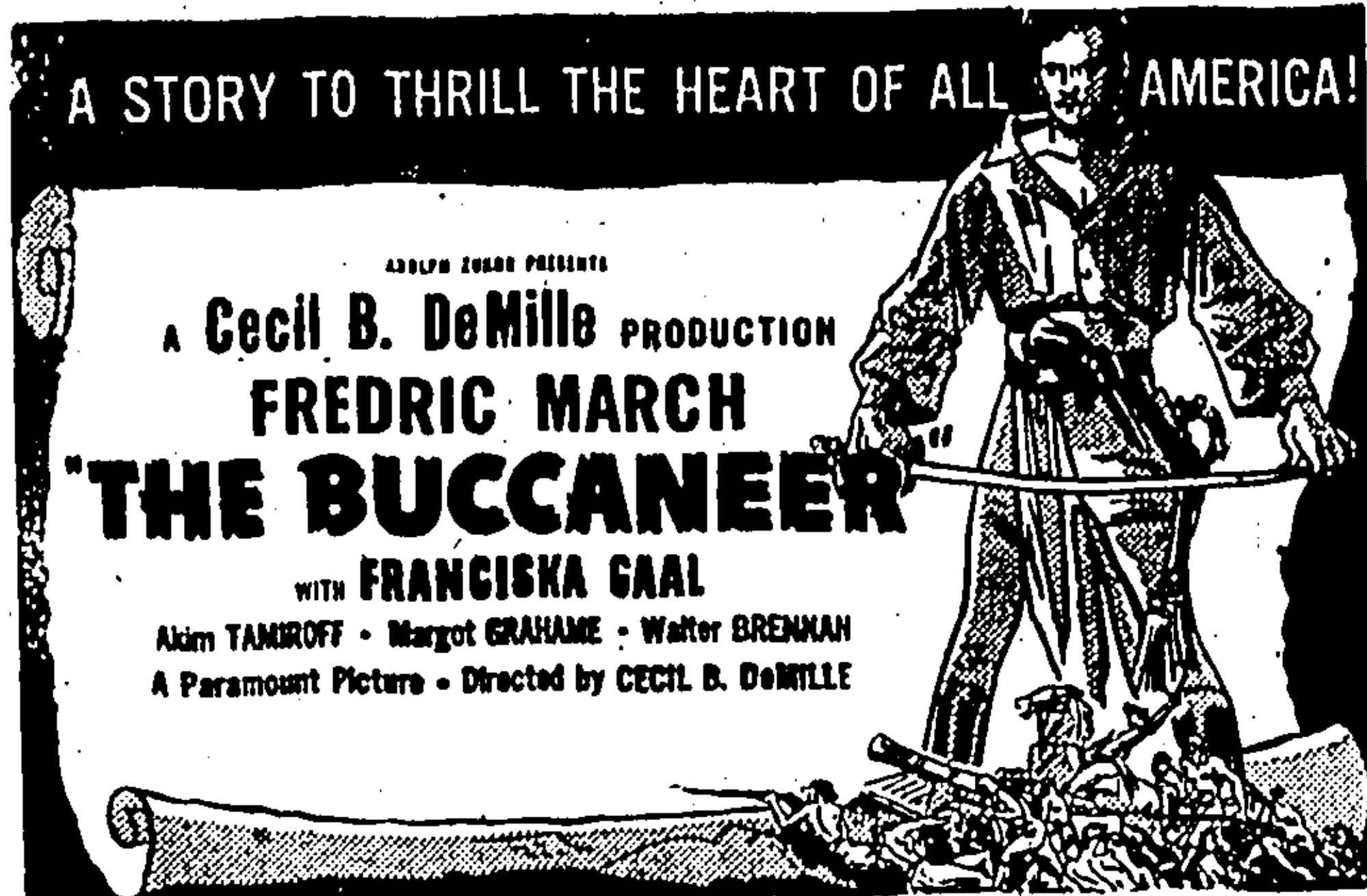
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AMERICAN WOMAN TRIED IN MOSCOW AT THE END OF HER "SENTENCE"

Moscow, To-day.

An American, Mrs. Ruth Rubens, who has been under arrest since December 1937, was tried yesterday on a charge of illegally entering the U.S.S.R.

Mrs. Rubens, who pleaded guilty, was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment, but as the period she has already been detained will be deducted, she will be released to-day.

When asked by the Chief Justice, Vosnev, if she had anything to say, Mrs. Rubens replied: "Nothing except to ask what has happened to my husband."

The judge replied he would let her know later.

The trial lasted less than an hour and was very informal. No witnesses were called, and the court did not attempt to establish the motive for the offence alleged.

Mrs. Rubens looked well and was smartly dressed. She sat alone in the front row of the court smoking Soviet cigarettes.—Reuter.

DUG-OUTS IN HONG KONG NOT TO BE "RATED"

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE RATING ORDINANCE, 1901, IS PUBLISHED IN THE "GAZETTE."

It is considered desirable that, where a room is built in or added to a tenement or where other structural alternations or improvements are made in a tenement solely for the purpose of affording protection in the event of hostile attack from the air or for purposes auxiliary thereto, such room and structural alterations and improvements should be excluded from the rateable value of the tenement, if they are approved by the Air Raid Precautions Officer and the Assessor, so long as they are not occupied or used for any other purpose.

Similarly, it is considered desirable that no person shall be liable to pay rates in respect of a tenement so approved, which is intended to be, and in fact is, used solely for the purpose of affording such protection.

Persons using tenements exempted for any purposes other than those authorised are liable to a fine of \$500 and six months' imprisonment.

NAZIS DRINK MORE

German consumption of champagne reached the record figure of 23,900,000 bottles during 1938.

This total exceeds by 20 per cent. the figure for 1937, despite appeals by "Nazi leaders—Hitler himself is a teetotaler—for abstention from alcohol and tobacco.

When the Nazis came to power in 1933, the sale of champagne was 5,500,000 bottles.

So far, the only visible effect of the Nazi campaign has been seen in officers' clubs and military canteens of the German Air Force, where sale of alcoholic drinks and tobacco is lowest ever.

STERLING PAY CONVERSION OF GOVT. SERVANTS

THE "GAZETTE" CONTAINS THE DRAFT OF AN ORDINANCE TO CONTINUE AND AMEND THE STERLING COMMISSION ORDINANCE.

In the Objects and Reasons it is explained that Section 3 of the Sterling Conversion Ordinance, provided for the conversion in certain events of sterling salaries paid in the Colony at the flat rate of one shilling and threepence to the dollar or sixteen dollars to the pound sterling. It contained however a proviso allowing the Treasury rate, i.e., a rate based upon a monthly average of the Bank's published rate of exchange more fully defined in section 2 of the principal Ordinance, to be paid in the case of officers absent on more than three months' leave who had arranged to draw their pay in the Colony.

Section 6 provided that the Ordinance should continue in force until the 31st December, 1938, and no longer, unless otherwise provided by Ordinance.

Salaries paid locally have, however, continued to be paid at the rates provided by section 3 notwithstanding the absence of an amending Ordinance extending the period of operation.

The objects of this Bill are firstly to validate the rates paid since the first of January, 1939, and secondly to fix for an indefinite period the rates provided by section 3 of the 1937 Ordinance, but to withdraw from officers proceeding on leave in the future the special concession given by the existing proviso to that section. A new proviso is substituted continuing the concession till the end of their leave of officers at present on leave who have availed themselves of it.

NEW DEPUTIES IN SOVIET FOREIGN OFFICE

Moscow, To-day.

The Council of People's Commissars has appointed two new deputy Foreign Commissars, Dekanozov and Lozovskii.

The official announcement merely states the family names of the new appointees who have held no conspicuous posts.—Trans-Ocean.

Sentries On White House For First Time In 75 Years

KING AND QUEEN CHAT WITH CONGRESSMEN

Washington, To-day.

Undisturbed by the military sentries, who for the first time since the Civil War patrolled the White House, the King and Queen slept soundly and woke refreshed for another busy day.

Before leaving for the Embassy, where they received the British colony in Washington, Their Majesties unexpectedly visited 84 newspaperwomen assembled at the White House for Mrs. Roosevelt's press conference.

The weather continues sultry, the temperature is rising and thunder is forecast.

Deafening cheers broke out as Their Majesties ascended the steps of the Capitol to meet the Legislators.

In front of the Capitol 3,500 chairs accommodated the wives of members of Congress and other feminine guests.

Barred from entering the Legislative Chambers, Their Majesties met and shook hands with Senators and members of the House of Representatives in the central hall of the Capitol.

CONTINUOUS CHEERING

The cheering had been continuous during Their Majesties' drive to the Capitol following the reception at the Embassy.

Senators assembling early amused themselves by twitting those among them wearing formal morning dress.

Then, as Their Majesties entered the rotunda under the great dome of the Capitol, they and other members of Congress clapped for several minutes.

Senator William Borah, accompanied Their Majesties as they filed past both sections of Congress.

CRUISE WITH MR. ROOSEVELT

Both were looking well and chatted smilingly with those assembled.

Afterwards a delegation of Congressmen escorted Their Majesties down the steps of the Capitol, where Their Majesties entered motorcars and proceeded to the Navy Yard to join President Roosevelt on board the Presidential yacht for a cruise to Mount Vernon.

UNIVERSAL FRIENDSHIP

Senator Key Pittman stated later that the King expressed his appreciation to Congress in the words: "Her Majesty and I are unable to express our appreciation of the universal friendship we have received."

Mrs. Roosevelt, at her daily press conference, paid a tribute to the Queen as "a social-minded young Sovereign with a keen sense of the difficulties under which a great many people live and labour."

INFORMAL TALKS

President Roosevelt told his press conference that he supposed he discussed international affairs with the King in informal manner.

He added, however, that the discussions would not be significant. He was talking just as he would with members of the press. In these days of strenuous affairs one could hardly talk to another without mentioning the subject.

The President described Their Majesties as "very delightful people."

In contrast to the exclusive garden party on Thursday, the British Embassy yesterday morning threw open the gates to all British subjects, regardless of colour or creed.

SUDANESE GREETING KING

Negroes from the West Indies were among those assembled on the spacious lawns to greet Their Majesties, as well as ex-Servicemen, whom the King inspected, nurses, consuls, and private citizens, including small children.

One Sudanese in flowing robes beamed from ear to ear as he shook hands with the King.

The heat was again terrific. — Reuter.

LEPER HOSPITAL FOR WEST CHINA

Shanghai, To-day.

Construction of the first leper hospital in West China, which will be located on the campus of the West China Union University in Chengtu, Szechuen Province, has started following the receipt of a grant of \$1,200 from the Mission to Lepers in London. In addition, the Mission has promised an annual subsidy of £300.

The head of the new hospital will be Dr. Wallace Crawford, a Canadian missionary, who has lived in Szechuen for more than 30 years. He is head of the University clinic. — Reuter.

SABOTAGE CHARGES DENIED

Mexico City, To-day.

Several foreign oil companies have issued a statement denying charges of sabotage made by the Mexican National Petroleum Administration.

They state that "individually and collectively they energetically deny the accusations, which are absolutely false." — Reuter.

£500,000 THETIS INSURANCE

London, To-day.

Thetis was insured on the marine insurance market for £500,000, part of which is with Liverpool underwriters, but the larger share was placed on the London insurance market. — Reuter.

MARTIAL LAW IN TSINAN

SHANGHAI, TO-DAY.

MARTIAL LAW WAS SUDDENLY ENFORCED IN TSINAN YESTERDAY AND HUNDREDS OF JAPANESE TROOPS LEFT THE CITY TO REINFORCE THE DEFENCE LINES ON THE OUTSKIRTS.

Information was received that Chinese guerillas were advancing towards the city and that they had wiped out a Japanese garrison some 10 miles away.

Last night fighting was reported to have occurred between the Japanese and the guerillas outside the town. — Our Own Correspondent.

His Majesty the King has been pleased to confirm the appointment of the Hon. Dr. Percy Selwyn Selwyn-Clarke, M.C., M.D. (Lond.), B.S. (Lond.), F.R.C.P. (Lond.), M.R.C.S. (Eng.), D.P.H. (Camb.), D.T.M. & H. (Lond.), Barrister-at-Law, Gray's Inn, to be a Member of the Executive Council in the

GOVERNMENT ASSESSOR WEDDED TODAY

AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH THIS MORNING, MISS CONSTANCE IRENE MELLOR, OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA, THE ELDER DAUGHTER OF MR. J. A. MELLOR, WAS MARRIED TO ALFRED TREVOR GODFREY, OF LEE, LONDON, THE ONLY SON OF MR. AND MRS. F. W. GODFREY.

The bridegroom is an Assistant Assessor in the Assessors' Office of the Hong Kong Government.

The Rev. J. Higgs performed the ceremony, the bride being attended by Miss Peggy Stoneman. Mr. William Bastin, of the Royal Air Force, was best man, while Lieutenant-Colonel O. C. Shackleton, of the Royal Army Medical Corps, gave the bride away.

The bride's dress was of very pale pink georgette, with a crownless hat of matching material and underlined with cream net; she carried a sheath of pink gladioli. The bridesmaid, who carried a posy of mixed flowers, was in deep pink frilled net, with full sleeves and gold accessories.

A reception was subsequently held at the Peninsula Hotel.

The honeymoon will be spent in Malaya and Java. For her travelling dress, the bride wore navy blue crepe, trimmed with deep cream frilled lace and navy blue accessories to match.

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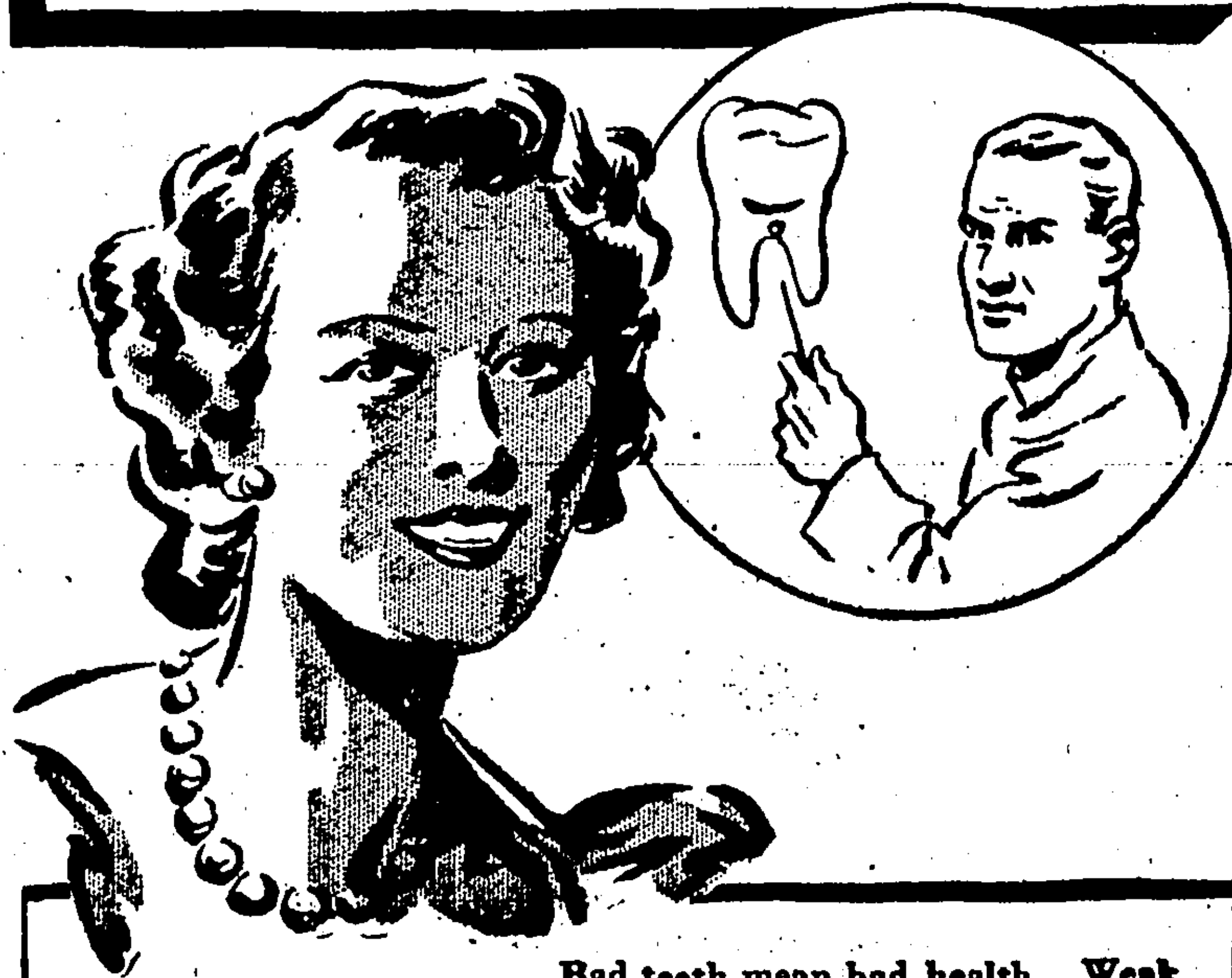
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WARM LIGHT

"Wanted: Intelligent young girl to do clerical work."

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Unfortunately Edna was stone deaf. That was why the clerical job appealed to her. She wouldn't have to take dictation or converse a great deal with her employer. Conversation itself wasn't so bad, not if she could look at the person with whom she was conversing. For, after years a patient study, she had mastered the art of lip reading. It was an art difficult to master. But once the battle was won Edna found she could understand people as well, if not better, than when her hearing had been normal.

There were five other girls waiting at the office of J. H. Hebron & Co., and all of them had copies of the paper containing the advertisement. Edna's heart sank. They were pretty girls, not unintelligent looking. They appeared happy and confident.

Edna was the third girl to be interviewed. To her surprise she found J. H. Hebron to be a young man in his late twenties. He greeted her

could ever love a deaf girl. And John! Sooner or later he would find out! It was inevitable. The thought chilled her. A terrible dread, born of fear, began to torment her peace of mind.

She refused John's invitation to the theatre in the hopes it would discourage further attentions. But on the contrary it seemed only to make him more persistent. Scarcely a day passed but what he invited her to lunch, to drive, to dinner.

She refused constantly, a fact that seemed to grieve John Hebron. Somehow he knew that she was purposely avoiding him, that she did not dislike him.

"Edna," he said one day, "why have you changed so abruptly? You no longer accept my invitations to lunch. There must be a reason?"

Edna's heart began to pound. The time had come! She must tell him! It wasn't fair to continue like this! She'd have to confess, apologize—and look for another job.

Hebron smiled understandingly at her hesitancy. It seemed to Edna to be a wistful smile.

"You needn't say it, Edna. I un-

By Richard Hill Wilkinson

cordially and questioned her regarding her previous positions. Edna answered truthfully that she had been employed as clerk for one of the city's largest packing houses. That was before her accident, before she lost the use of her hearing.

The interview was an ordeal. Although outwardly she maintained a calmness and composure, inwardly her heart pounded. Despite her success with the lip reading course, there was always the dread that she would misunderstand and blunder with her answers.

Fifteen minutes later Edna was summoned from the waiting room. She had been selected for the position. It seemed incredible. Yet there was Mr. Hebron smiling at her from across his desk. Could she begin work to-day? And would twenty-five dollars a week be enough to start on? Later, of course, when she became accustomed to the work, there'd be a raise.

Edna adapted herself to the firm of J. H. Hebron and company with a thoroughness that surprised herself even more than it pleased John Hebron. Her past experience with the packing company stood by her as an able ally, but joy at again being able to work her eagerness to please were the main factors in assuring herself a position with her present employer for as long as she cared to stay.

The weeks flew by and Edna came to realize that John Hebron was beginning to take more than a business interest in his new clerk. She felt his eyes on her at times when ordinarily he would have been over his own desk. Frequently they lunched together, and once he asked her to the theatre.

It was his invitation that created in Edna the first feeling of alarm, cast a shadow over her new found happiness. The theatre! How she had loved it! And now to think it would never again be hers to appreciate.

For perhaps the first time in her life she knew a bitterness at being deprived of something that should rightfully be hers; The ability to hear and appreciate sound.

It was this knowledge that drove home the fact that she was ever to be robbed of love. No man, she knew

derstand. I've guessed your little secret. I don't blame you in the slightest. You've been very kind—"

Edna was looking at him bewilderingly. "You know that—that—that—" She faltered, unable to go on.

Hebron took her hand in his. "I know that you've found out I'm deaf," he said. "And you've been very kind not to mention it. I tried to deceive you by reading your lips, even asked you to attend the theatre. But—Well—"

In his own misery, John Hebron failed to see the wonderful, warm light that glowed in the girl's eyes.

(Release, by The Associated Newspapers.)

SWISS DEFENCE CREDITS

Berne, To-day.

The Council of State yesterday passed a bill providing for a further credit of 190 million francs for strengthening the national defence system.

The Director of the Military Department, Federal Councillor Binger, pointed out that the present situation makes the concentration of all forces of the nation an imperative necessity.

He demanded the incorporation of volunteer units in the national army. "A nation which lost the will to defend itself was bound to perish, he declared.

He added that the strength of the Swiss army had multiplied several times since 1933.—Trans-Ocean.

Nazis Fail To Respond To Halifax Speech Gestures

REGARDED AS TACTICAL AND NOT GENUINE

Berlin, To-day.

The speeches of Lord Halifax, the British Foreign Secretary, in the House of Lords, and Mr. Neville Chamberlain in the Commons, have been received with deep distrust in official Nazi circles and the press.

The speeches are interpreted as having been actuated by the hitches in the Anglo-Soviet negotiations.

Nazi political circles declare: "If Britain is willing to recognise Germany's share in the world there is a clear way of showing it in the return of the German colonies, of which she was robbed at Versailles."

CROWS SOLD IN KOENIGSBERG

Warsaw, June 6.

Crows "as tasty as pigeons" are being sold to Koenigsberg housewives by dealers in fowl in that city, the official P.A.T. agency announced to-day.

The birds are priced at 50 and 60 phennigs, and the population is being urged to effect purchases of these "ersatz" pigeons. — Havas.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

Subject: "God The Preserver of Man"

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science churches to-morrow 11th June will be "God the Preserver of Man".

The Golden Text will be:—"Thy righteousness is like the great mountains; thy judgments are a great deep: O Lord, thou preservest man and beast". (Ps. 36: 6).

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible:—"I will extol thee, my God, O king; and I will bless thy name for ever and ever. Every day will I bless thee; and I will praise thy name for ever and ever. The Lord preserveth all them that love him: The Lord hath appeared of old unto me, saying, Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with loving-kindness have I drawn thee. Hear the word of the Lord, O ye nations, and declare it in the isles afar off, and say, He that scattered Israel will gather him, and keep him, as a shepherd doth his flock. The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms". (Ps. 145: 1, 2, 20; Jer. 31: 3, 10; Deut. 33: 27).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Text-book, "Science and Health with key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:—"God is the creator of man, and the divine Principle of man remaining perfect, the divine idea or reflection, man, remains perfect. Man is the expression of God's being. If there ever was a moment when man did not express the divine perfection, then there was a moment when man did not express God, and consequently a time when Deity was unexpressed—that is, without entity. If man has lost perfection, then he has lost his perfect Principle, the divine Mind. If man ever existed without this perfect Principle or Mind, then man's existence was a myth. In

The German press contrasts the professions of good will towards Germany as contained in the speeches of Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Halifax.

In reply to Mr. Chamberlain's assertion that he was prepared for a revision of the present position and the declaration of Lord Halifax that he wanted to bring about an examination of the entire problem of economic vital spheres, the "Voelkischer Beobachter" expresses the opinion that the new tone of the Ministerial speeches did not amount to a genuine change of British intentions but to a tactical move which the British Cabinet thought opportune in view of the delicate position of the British negotiations with Moscow.

BALTIC NEUTRALITY

The British efforts to conclude an alliance with Soviet Russia had not met with any success so far and were hardly likely to proceed any more satisfactorily in the near future, the paper alleges, as the Baltic States had refused in the most unambiguous manner possible to accept any three power guarantee.

The three Baltic countries had in addition alongside with other smaller nations like Denmark, Yugoslavia, Belgium, Sweden, Finland and Norway expressed their unwillingness to adhere to any anti-aggression front and had confirmed the determination to pursue a policy of strictest neutrality.

DEEDS NOT WORDS

In the case of four of these countries this policy had found its manifestation in the conclusion of non-aggression pacts, with Germany.

These facts, concluded the "Voelkischer Beobachter," clearly indicated the degree of popularity which the present British policy enjoyed with neutral nations in Europe.

If the British Premier and the Foreign Secretary saw the necessity for a reverse in policy, it was essential that it should find its expression in deeds.—Reuter and Trans-Ocean.

divine Science, God and the real man are inseparable as divine Principle and Idea. Man is indestructible and eternal". (Pages 470, 476, 402).

STUDENT'S PART IN CONDUCT OF WAR

SHANGHAI, TO-DAY.

ONE OF THE CHIEF AGITATORS FOR WAR AGAINST JAPAN, THE STUDENT CLASS IN CHINA IS TO-DAY PLAYING AN ACTIVE PART IN THE DEFENCE OF THE COUNTRY. INSTEAD OF PLANNING CAREERS OR FURTHER STUDIES ABROAD, THE MAJORITY OF CHINESE STUDENTS, IMMEDIATELY AFTER GRADUATION FROM SCHOOL OR UNIVERSITY, NOW ENROLL IN THE RECENTLY-FORMED ANTI-JAPAN YOUTH CORPS FOR WAR WORK.

The many duties which members of the Corps have undertaken include organising patriotic movements among labourers and peasants, effecting closer co-operation between the Army and the people by propaganda, giving political training to people's self-defence corps, helping peasants to reap crops, holding reading classes in an effort to stamp out illiteracy, helping soldiers to write letters home and caring for the wounded.

Branches of the Corps exist in every part of China, from Kwangtung province in the south, to Shansi in the north, and from Chekiang in the east to Szechuen in the west.

Many are the tales of heroic deeds performed by members of the Corps. The latest of these,

ARSON EXPLOITS AGAINST JAPS. IN TIENTSIN

Chungking, To-day.

The Japanese Gendarmerie Headquarters opposite Haikwangsu in the Japanese Concession, Tientsin, was gutted by fire on June 2, according to a belated report from Tientsin.

Eleven Japanese gendarmes and Chinese prisoners were burned to death while 15 others injured.

Explosions were heard during the conflagration.

On the same day, a fire occurred in the barracks of the Japanese Saito artillery unit at Haikwangsu, partly damaging the barracks. The fire was preceded by a loud detonation.—Central News.

HIMELAYA EXPEDITION

Munich, To-day.

According to reports received here from Sikkim, the three German mountaineers, Grob, Paidar and Schmaderer left the main camp at Tackle, at 7,400 metres, on the first stage of this year's Himalaya expedition. — Trans-Ocean.

given great prominence by Chinese newspapers, tells of how 50 students, belonging to a medical corps stationed some 50 miles east of Canton, were all killed recently in a desperate, but successful, engagement to save two valuable 75 field pieces. — Reuter.

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MIRROR OF OPINION

The Government seems to have decided to do everything possible to make complete the victory which the Arabs of Palestine have obtained by their long course of violence.

We have heard much of the principle of political "parity" between the races, but the Government is determined to have Arab domination. The Mandate lays it down that the Palestine Administration is to consult and co-operate with an "appropriate Jewish agency" but the new plan speaks only of consulting "representatives of the people of Palestine" (at the end of five or ten years) as though the Jewish Agency were being purposely shouldered out. — "Manchester Guardian."

We cannot be expected, on grounds either of principle or expediency, to suppress Arab nationalism. The task of coercion, in Palestine or anywhere else, is intolerable. Nor, surely, can we be asked to disregard the practical consequences of using the "big stick" on the Arabs. It would involve the gravest danger not only in Palestine, but throughout the Near and Middle East, and so far from putting a stop to Fascist propaganda and agitation, it would be a direct encouragement to them. — "New Statesman and Nation."

As in so many other aspects of preparedness, the greatest difficulty in the way of granting substantial economic assistance to our newly-acquired and prospective allies — assistance without which they may not remain our allies for long — lies not in the technical details of the measures that would have to be adopted, intricate though they would be, but in our own unwillingness to depart from settled and established ways.

Once the psychological handicap of our reluctance to undertake trade for any purpose other than an immediate profit is overcome, commercial policy provides a means of securing the Peace Front which will pay enormous dividends in political coin. — "The Economist."

The protraction of the negotiations with Russia has been perilous in itself, for Herr Hitler might well have determined to strike before they were concluded, and has at the same time laid a strain on the loyalty of France and Turkey, both of whom seem more conscious than the British Cabinet of the need for the rapid conclusion of a binding agreement. That appears at last to have been achieved, and its achievement lessens

sensibly the danger of war.

Another breathing space is provided for the reconstruction of the fabric of peace. That must take time, for nothing can be accomplished till the Axis Powers share in it. — "The Spectator."

The ideal of the League of Nations must be pursued unless civilisation is to fall into anarchy.

England took a leading part in attempting to work it, but always with the belief that her action was philanthropic. Now, the development of air power has shown England that she is part of Europe; that her security depends on an alliance with France, and that if aggression in other parts of Europe is not checked, neither England or France will be secure. It is a weakness in Mr. Chamberlain's policy that he has accepted the absorption of Czechoslovakia as final, and it would strengthen his leadership if his detachment from the League of Nations did not seem so complete. — "The Fortnightly."

Much of the anxiety resulting from the present situation is due to the fact that, firstly, Denmark has not fortified the frontier and, secondly, that the German Government has not officially recognised the frontier. Denmark would not conceivably give Germany grounds for complaint by erecting fortifications. If the official goodwill of the Wilhelmstrasse is really authoritative, an official recognition of the frontier would allay all fears. It now rests with Germany to assert the authority of the Government in this matter or to acquiesce in the activities of agitators and thus belie the good intentions which it professes. — "Scandinavian Review."

If at the present time an autarkic country such as Germany or Italy complains of a shortage of, say, coffee, it is not due to the policies of the free-exchange countries. They are not waging an economic war. Certain countries by trying to follow a self-sufficiency policy prevent themselves from being in a position to buy. Their Governments prefer to spend the country's money on war materials instead of coffee.

There are certain dangers in the free-exchange system and certain burdens imposed by the controlled-exchange system. The danger of free exchange is the danger of buying too much — more than the country can afford. But the burden of the controlled exchange is the burden of buying too little — less than the country could afford if it did not try to be self-sufficient and if it bought what its people needed, instead of what its rulers decided they ought to have. — "The Listener."

The Royal progress through Canada is watched at home with close and affectionate attention. It is new to Canada to have a reigning Sovereign on its soil, its own Sovereign, and the Dominion feels as it never felt before that, whatever may be the mutual trade interests of partners of the British Commonwealth the real tie is common sentiment and ideals.

As the King and Queen move across Canada, bringing the message of friendship from the Mother Country as it has never been brought before, all the predictions of enthusiastic welcome are being more than fulfilled. — "Great Britain and The East."

Girl Prays Beside Iron Lung

In Candlelight

Lourdes, May 27.

The iron lung which for three years has kept alive Frederick Snite, twenty-eight-year-old son of a Chicago millionaire, was backed in a trailer into the centre of a row of bath chairs for the Benediction in Lourdes Cathedral square this evening.

A long line of cripples sat around the steps of the cathedral, and behind them were pilgrims who had come to pray for their relief in the city of miracles.

The apple-green cylinder in which Frederick Snite has made a pilgrimage of more than 4,000 miles heaved and sighed in the middle of them, adding a dull bass to their prayers.

Nothing moved in the square except the shadow of the bellows that pump air—and life—for Snite. From them he took breath to murmur his responses as the bishop led the prayers and hymns.

Only Snite's head hung out of the end of the lung, and he watched the service through a reflecting mirror. Occasionally his father gave him a side mirror so that he could watch the actions of the priest on the steps round the corner.

The bishop went along the line of cripples blessing them with the sign of the Cross. Then he came to Snite, in a small clearing.

Standing in the shadow of the bellows the bishop made the sign of the Cross over the mouth of the lung.

Snite's hands were not free to reply to the gesture, so he just closed his eyes and murmured.

Inside the trailer which carries the lung were Sisters of Mercy and nurses. The nurses watched the batteries that work the bellows.

SWITCHED OFF

As the bishop neared the lung they switched from full pressure to low, to lessen the noise of the mechanism.

In the dawn Snite had heard Mass at the Grotto, where miracles are claimed. The Grotto is lined with crutches, and the roof is smoked with the candles that constantly burn on an altar.

Here was one of the greatest scientific miracles, the iron lung, present at the spot where the Roman Catholic Church claims miracles of faith.

As Snite was being wheeled away from Mass the first rays of the rising sun shone across the mouth of the dark Grotto.

He asked the driver to push him back again, and he lay there in the sunrise praying, with his head hanging out of the machine.

Afterwards he said: "I made a very humble prayer. If God wills it, I will be cured."

Snite's father told me: "My son is more cheerful and comforted than he has ever been since he went into the lung."

"The expression on his face when he came away from Mass this morning was worth all the journey."

Snite went back from Mass to the hospital by the river, where he has a private ward. Sisters of Mercy and four nurses look after him there. The nurses give him treatment, and the sisters say continual prayers for his recovery.

To-night six candles burned round the iron lung at the hospital door

which the man in the lung watched the lighted square.

Then a young girl from the procession broke through the priests and nurses, knelt in front of the respirator with a candle in each hand, and prayed for Snite.

All to-morrow special prayers are to be offered for him in tiny chapels in the neighbouring mountains.

He will be taken to the bath to watch the other pilgrims immersed. It is unlikely, however, that his doctors will allow him to be taken out of the lung.

He has sent a candle to burn at the foot of the Madonna in the Grotto, and a bottle of the spring water that is blessed has been taken to the hospital for him.

His doctors say they have taken him almost as far as science will go. A new, smaller lung, with a transparent front and a zip fastener down the back, is being perfected for him.

In six months he will be able to sit up in a bathchair in this lung, with arms and legs free. But the doctors do not expect him ever to breathe without a respirator.

Before his illness, Frederick Snite planned to be a priest. Now, at Lourdes, he is taking part in a nine-day thanksgiving service for being alive.

QUEEN MARY: 'BOMB' SEARCH

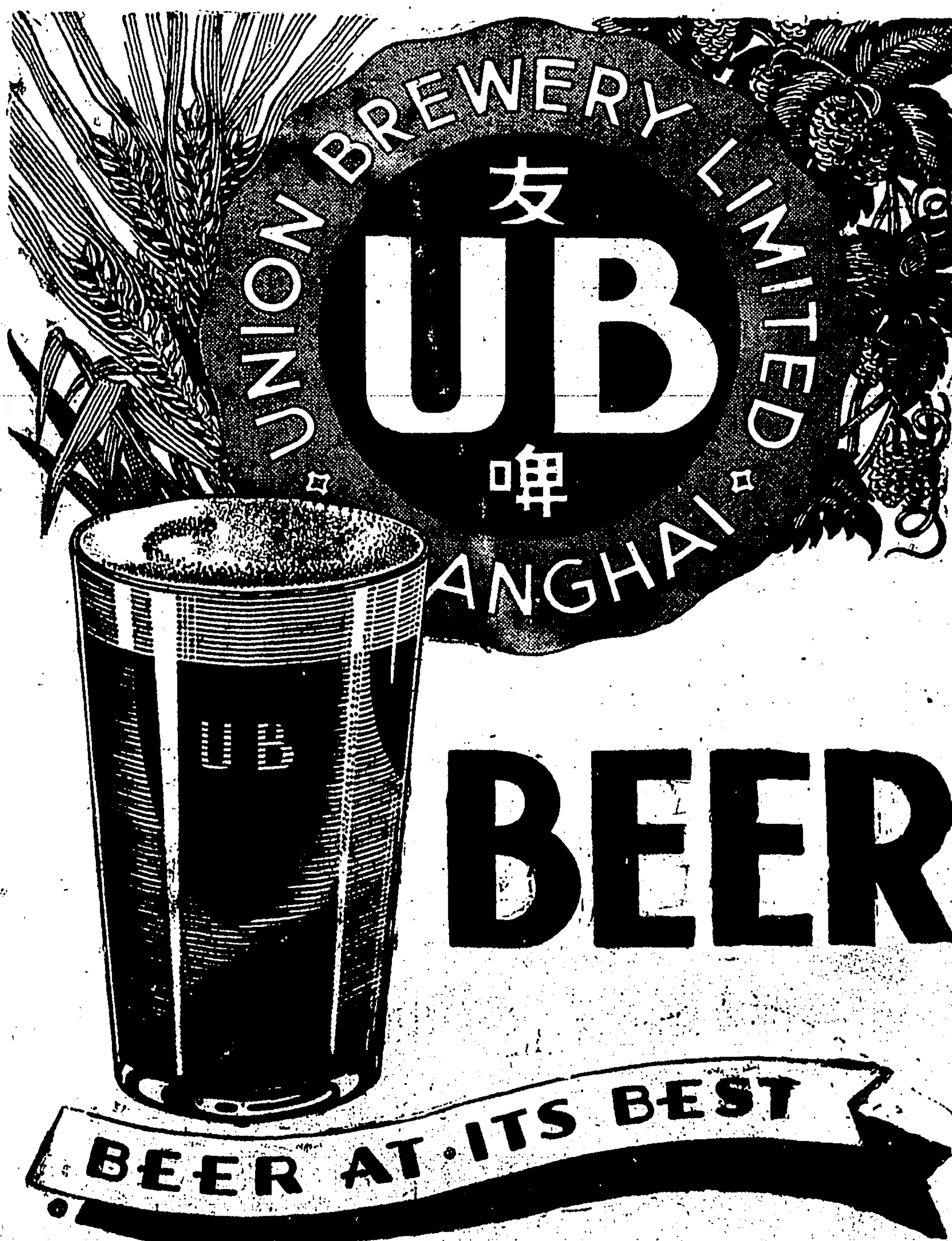
Shortly before Queen Mary attended the premiere at the Plaza Cinema, Piccadilly, London, Scotland Yard detectives and the theatre's fire staff made a most thorough search of the building.

An anonymous threat had been made to "wreck the show with a bomb."

Although the threat was not taken too seriously by Scotland Yard higher officials, it was feared that I. R. A. sympathisers who apparently had made the threat might have concealed a tear-gas or stink bomb of the type set off in a provincial theatre last week.

The search was made without interfering in any way with the reception for Queen Mary.

Before her arrival, during the show and until after she had left, detectives, in addition to those normally on duty, mixed with the audience and with the crowd outside.



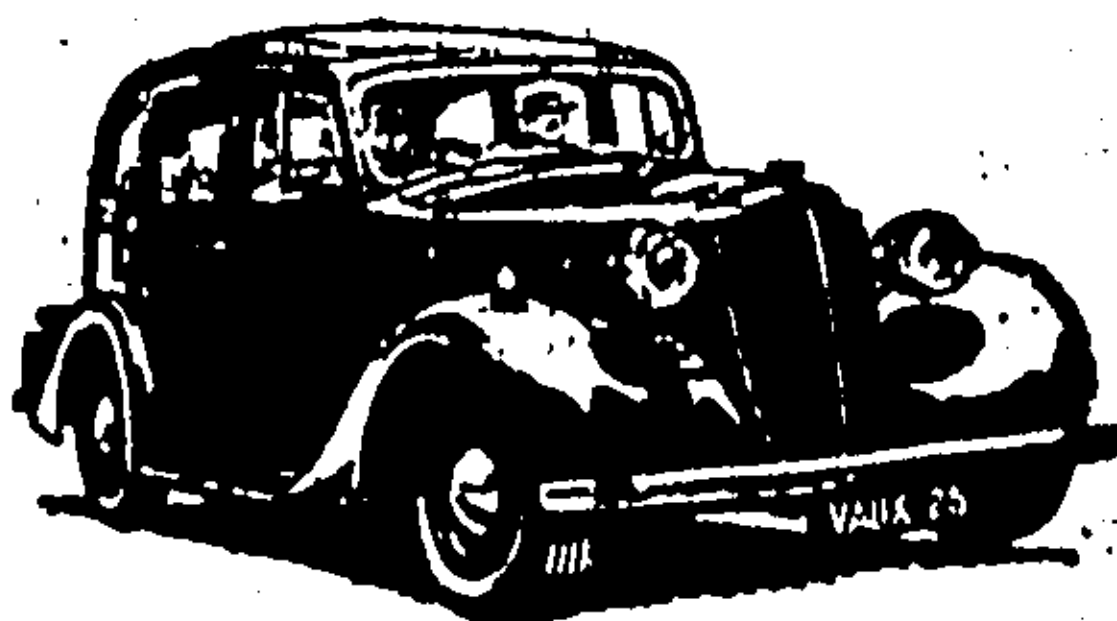
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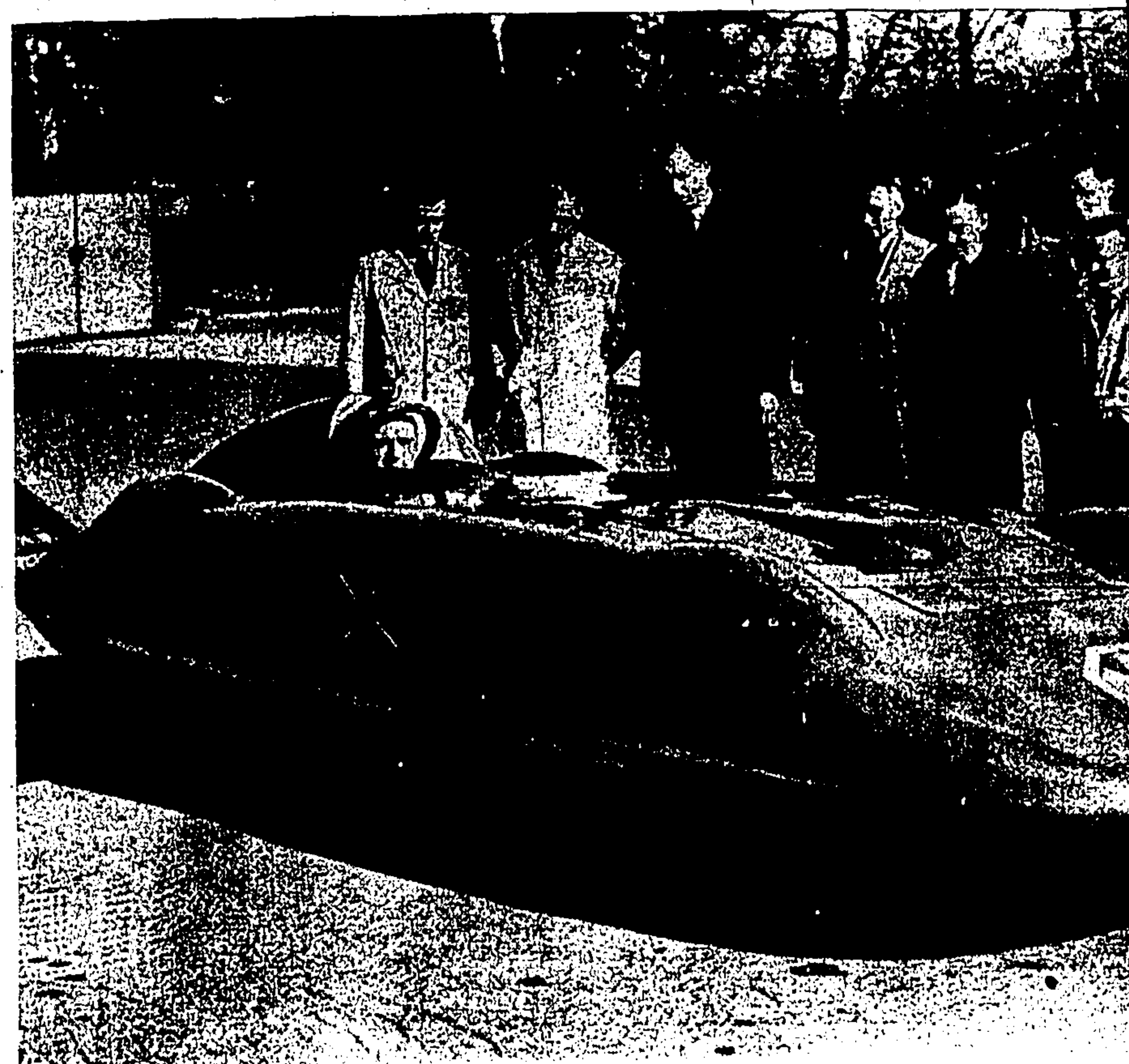
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BRITISH RACING MOTORIST BEATS RECORD IN GERMANY.—Major A.T.G. the British racing driver, recently took a 10 h.p. car to Germany for a record attempt on the new autobahn at Dessau, and set up a new class record of about 200 c.c. M.G., on the new autobahn at Dessau, and set up a new class record of about 200 c.c. Major Gardner seated in the cockpit of his car at Abington. The car is five years old.

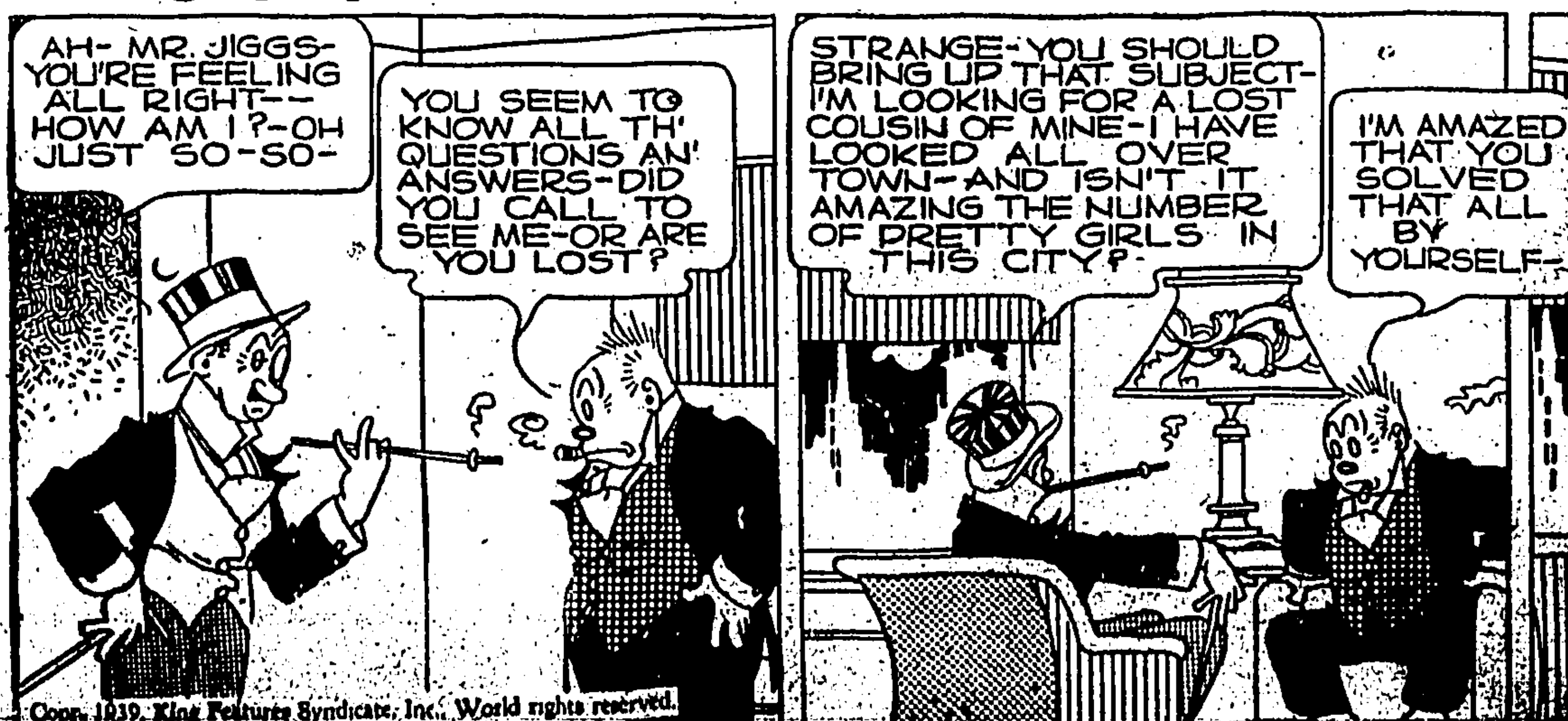
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Queen Mary was involved in a serious car accident at Wandsworth on May 23. Her car was in a collision with a lorry and was turned over on to its side. Queen Mary had to be helped out through the door and although she was badly shaken, she appeared to be unhurt and walked to a doctor's house nearby to rest. Photo shows a view of the car showing the shattered windows.

REPUBLICAN WARSHIP SUNK BY GERMANS

Berlin, June 2.
A mild sensation was caused here to-day when the Frankfurter Zeitung announced that the Spanish Republican cruiser, Jaime I, which went down during the Civil War, was torpedoed and sunk by Germans.

The paper outlined several details in connection with Germany's participation in the civil war, referring notably to the transport of Moroccan soldiers across the Mediterranean to Spain.—Havas.

BRITAIN READY TO BUY SHIPS

London, June 5.
The British Government was ready to buy all ships registered in Britain and which the owners intended to sell either for

NAZIS PROTEST AGAINST NEW AMERICAN FILM

Washington, June 5.
The Reich protested to the State Department against the Hollywood film production, "Confessions of a Nazi Spy," it was learned, here to-day.

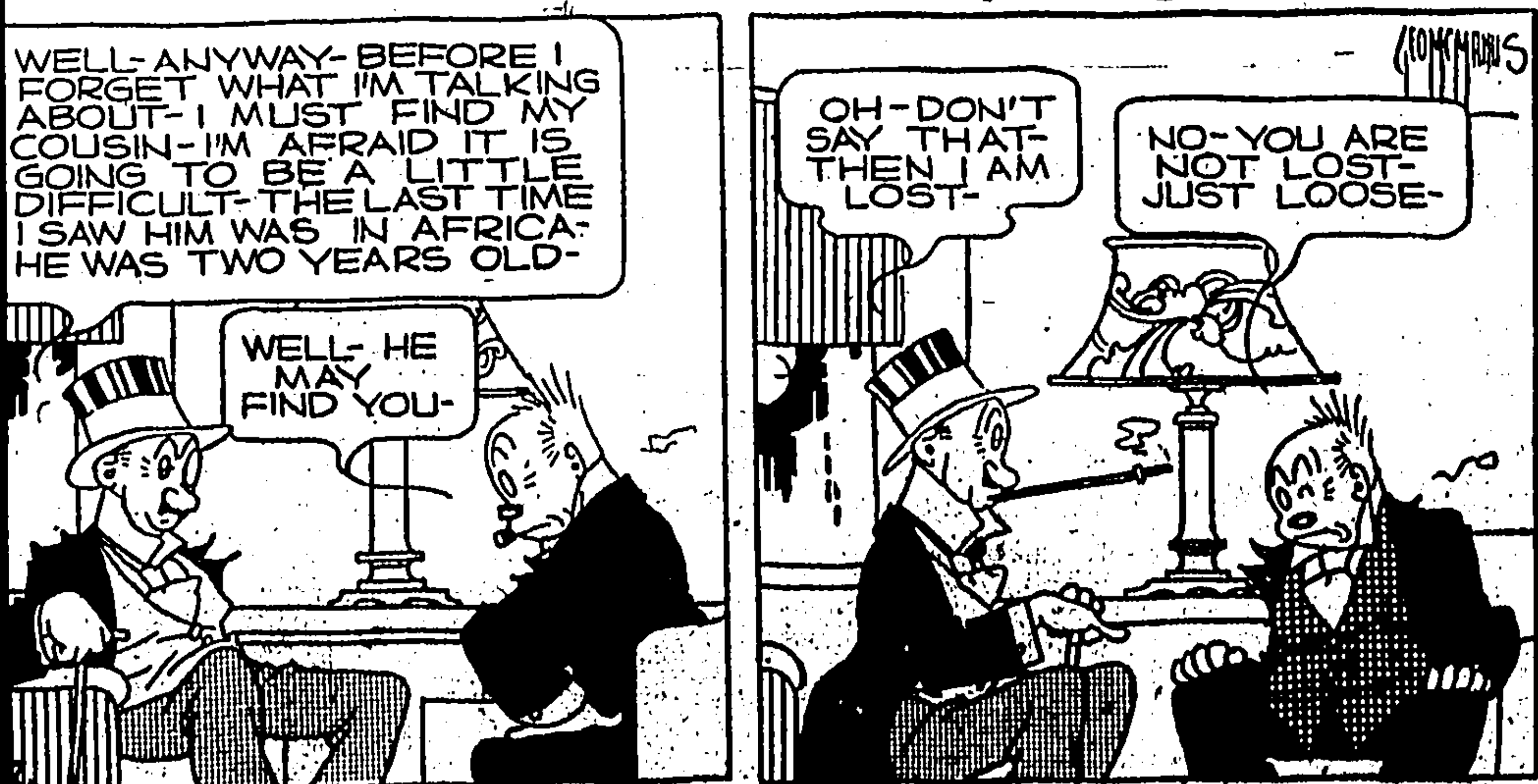
The protest was made through the German Charge d'Affaires here, Dr. H. Thomsen.

The picture in question is based on the German spy scandal uncovered in the United States last year and is now being filmed.

The Administration, in replying to the Berlin protest, pointed out that the Constitution forbade any censorship of either the moving picture industry or the press, it was reported.—Havas.

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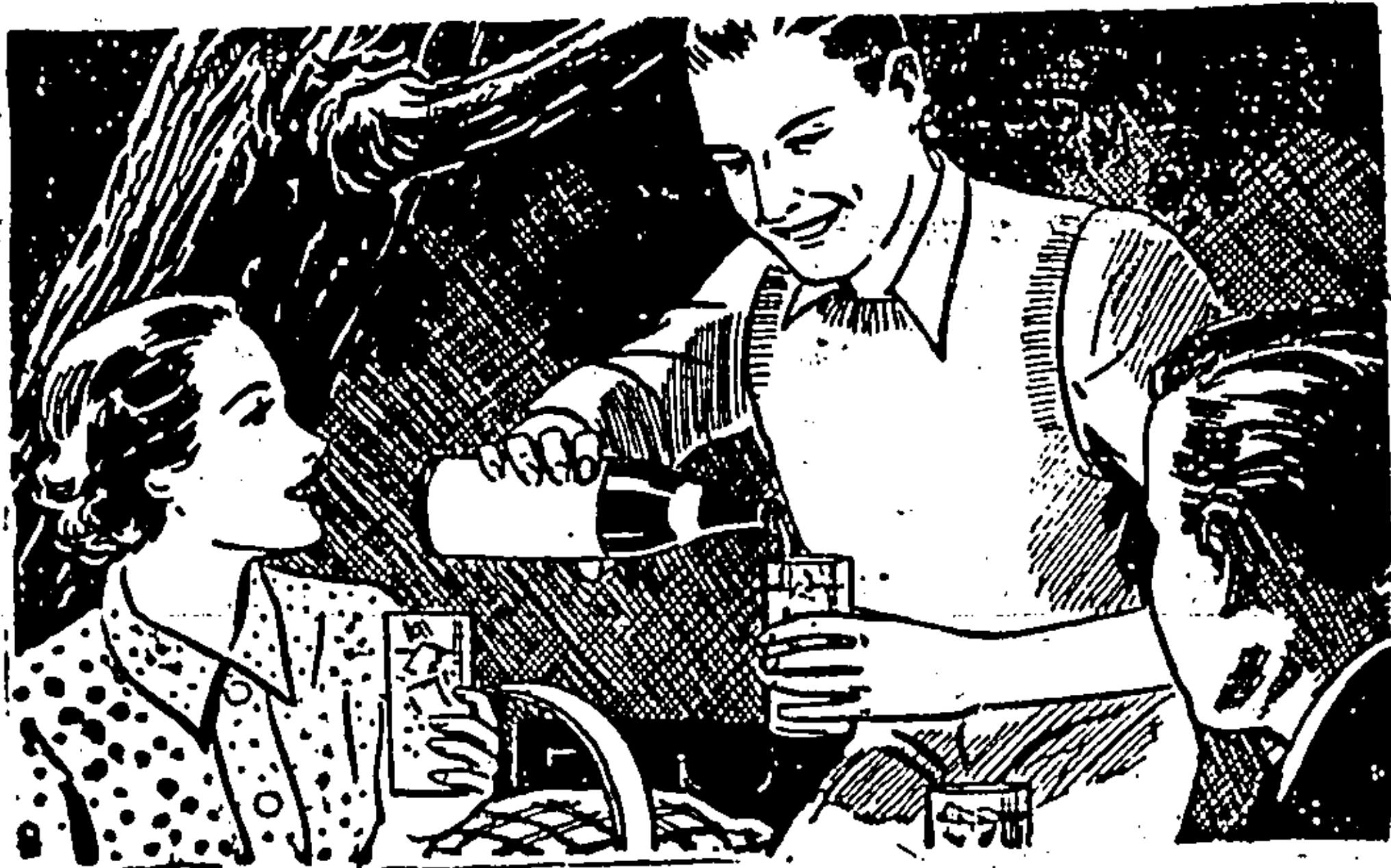
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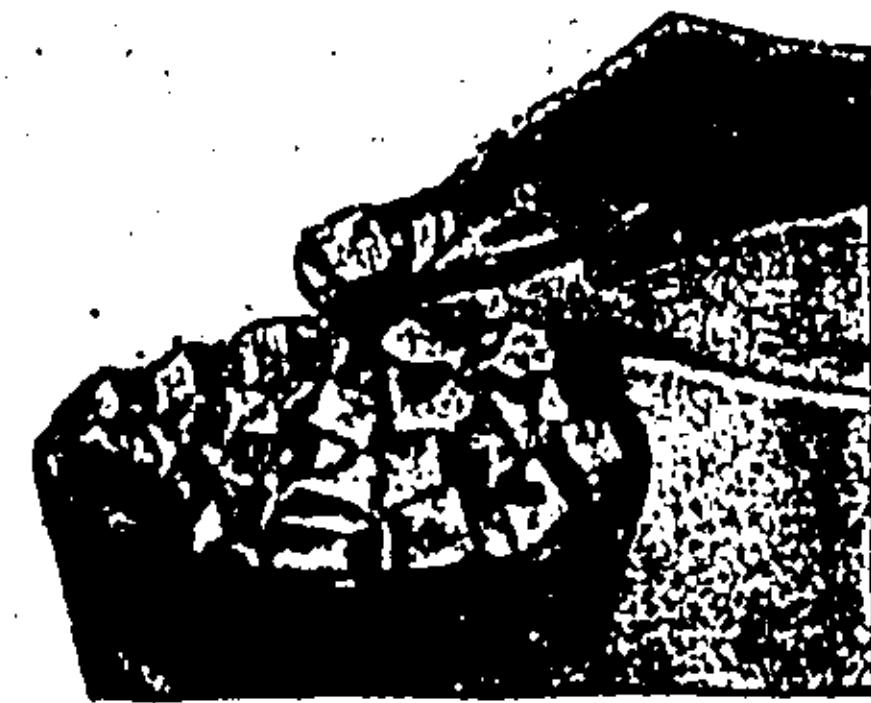
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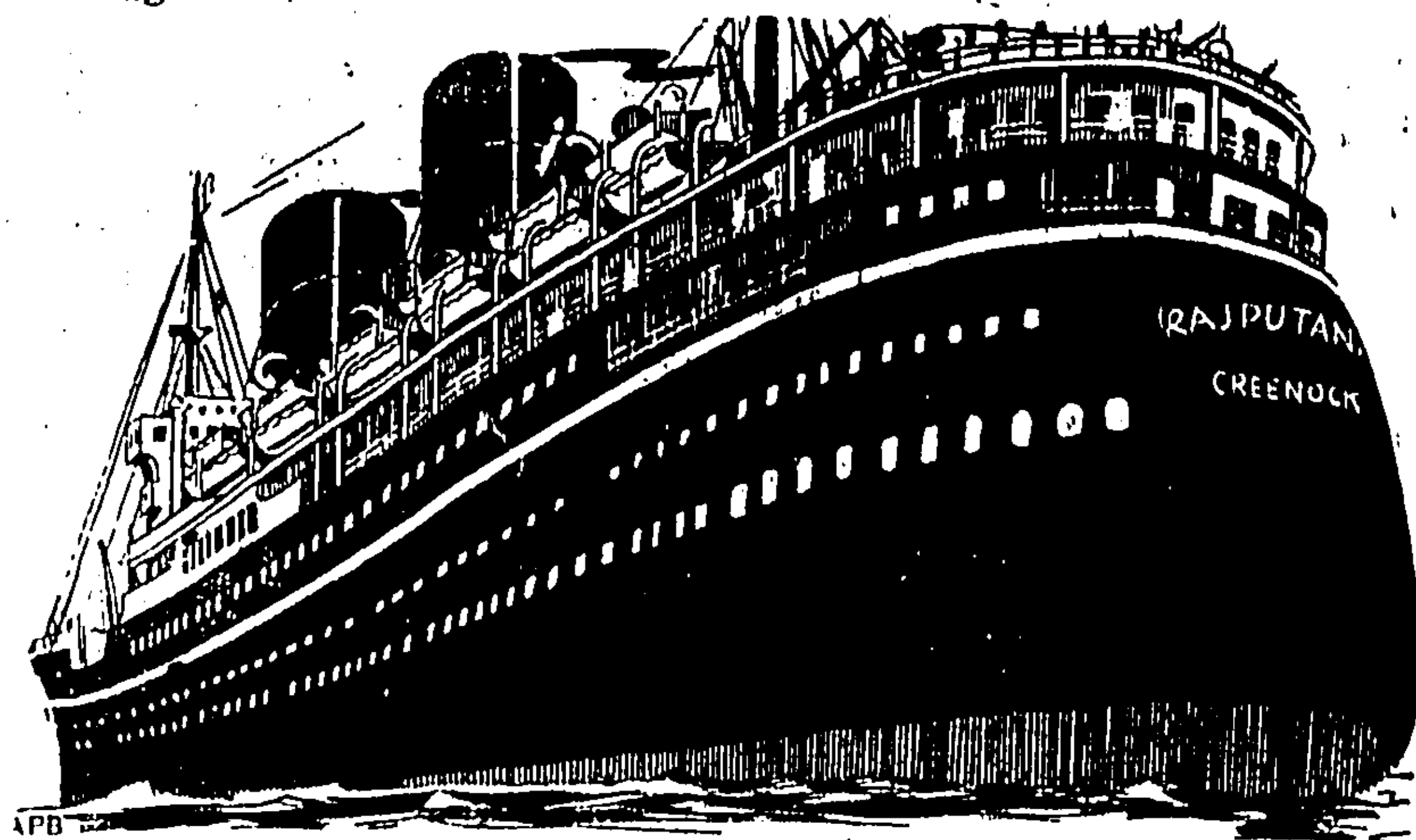
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\$RAWALPINDI	17,000	8th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
\$CHITRAL	15,000	22nd July	— do —
\$CORFU	14,500	5th Aug.	— do —
\$CANTON	15,500	19th Aug.	— do —
\$CARTHAGE	14,500	2nd Sept.	— do —
\$RAJPUTANA	17,000	16th Sept.	— do —
RANCHI	17,000	30th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
\$RANPURA	17,000	14th Oct.	— do —
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SIRDHANA	10,000	20th July	Shanghai & Japan.
CARTHAGE	14,500	3rd Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
*SOMALI	7,000	3rd Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
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	Parcels	June 10, 4 p.m.
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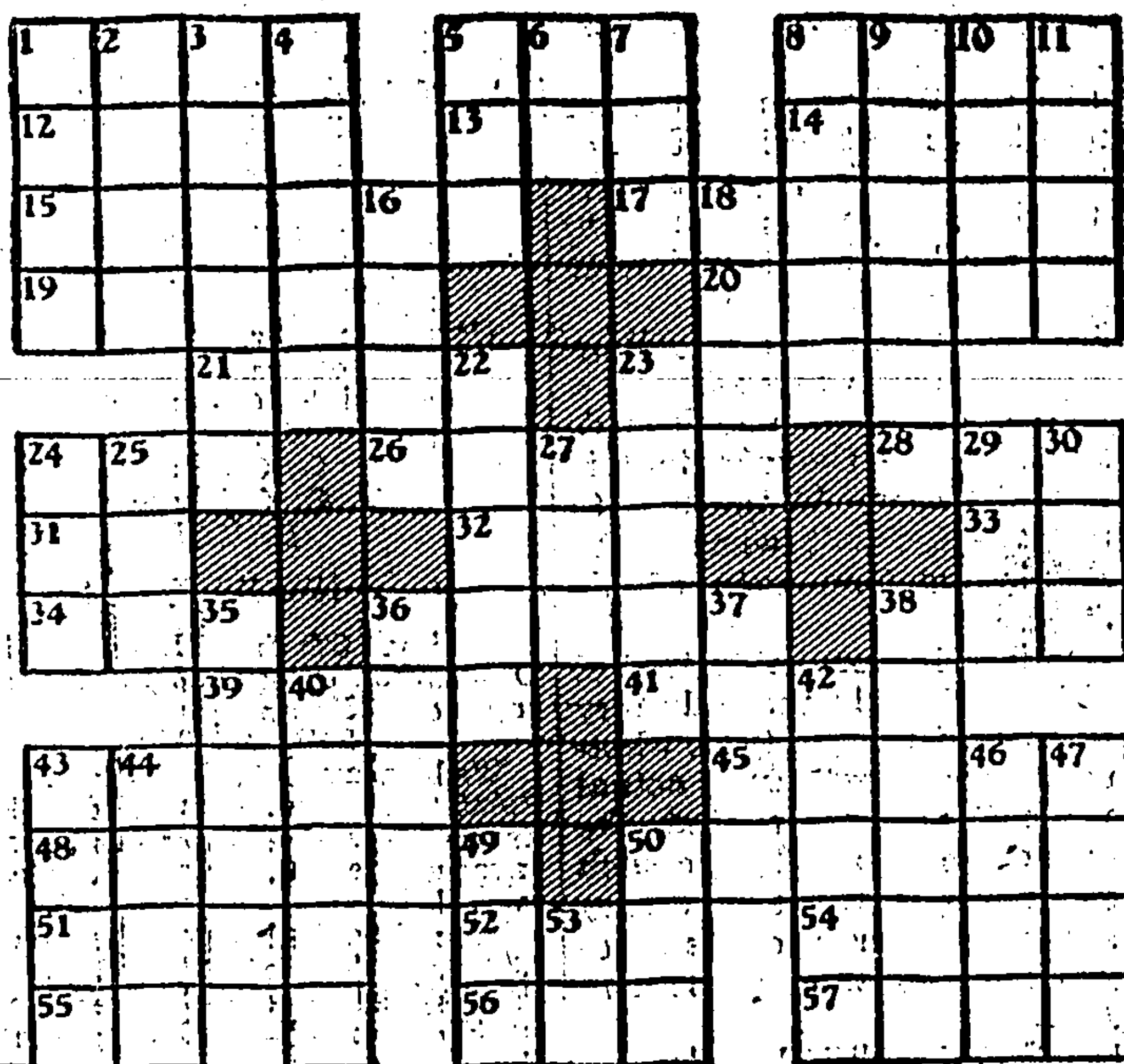
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- 20 South Africans
- 21 Ancient Grecian country
- 23 Toy
- 24 To tarnish
- 26 Highly seasoned dish
- 28 Distressing
- 31 Conjunction
- 32 Woodland deity
- 33 Not any
- 34 Ethiopian title
- 36 More sensible
- 38 To colour
- 39 Image
- 41 Fruit

VERTICAL

- 43 Trivial
- 45 Swamp
- 48 Fishes
- 50 Thin layer
- 51 Part
- 52 To be due
- 54 Paradise
- 55 Periods
- 56 Flower patch
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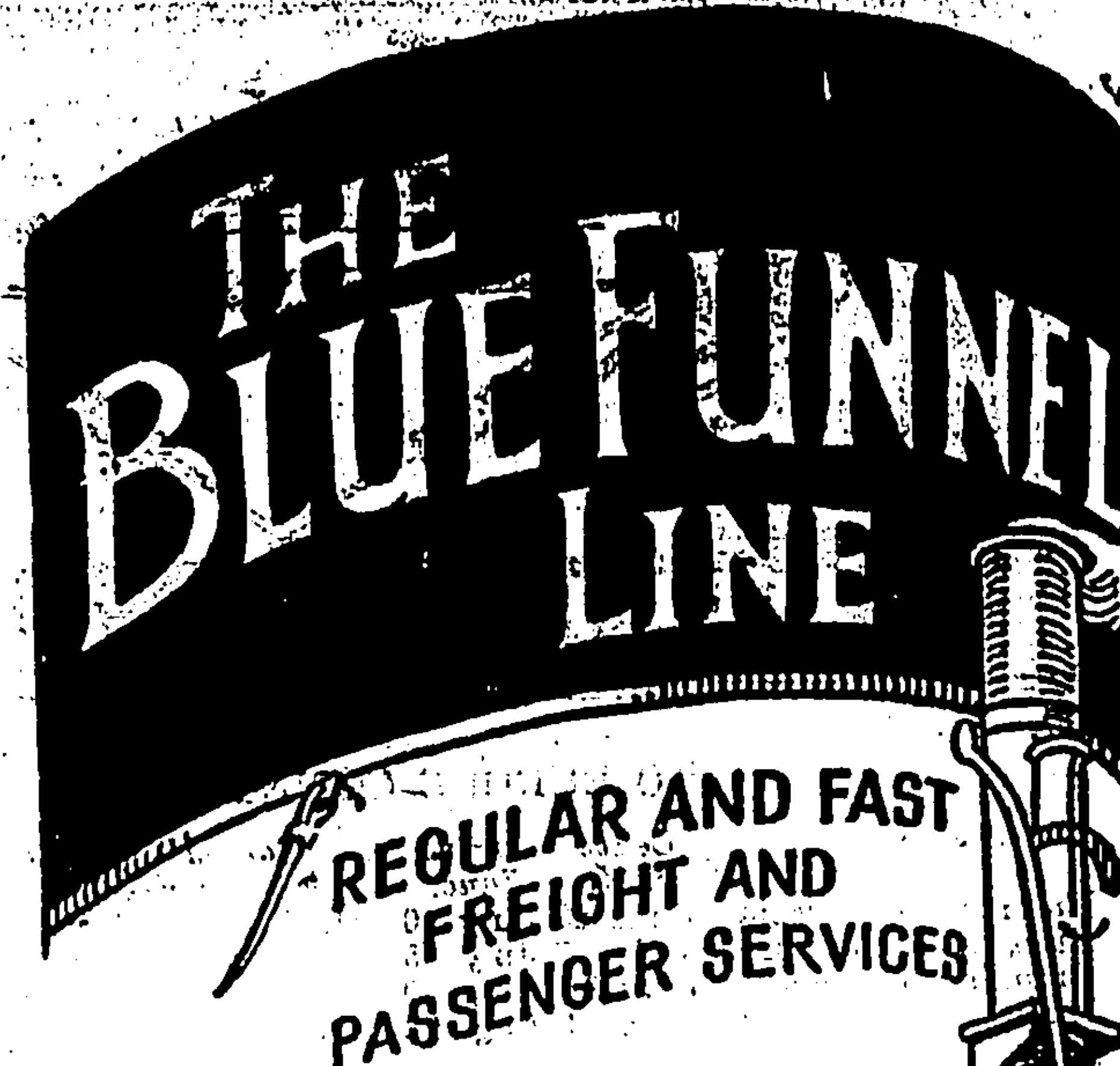
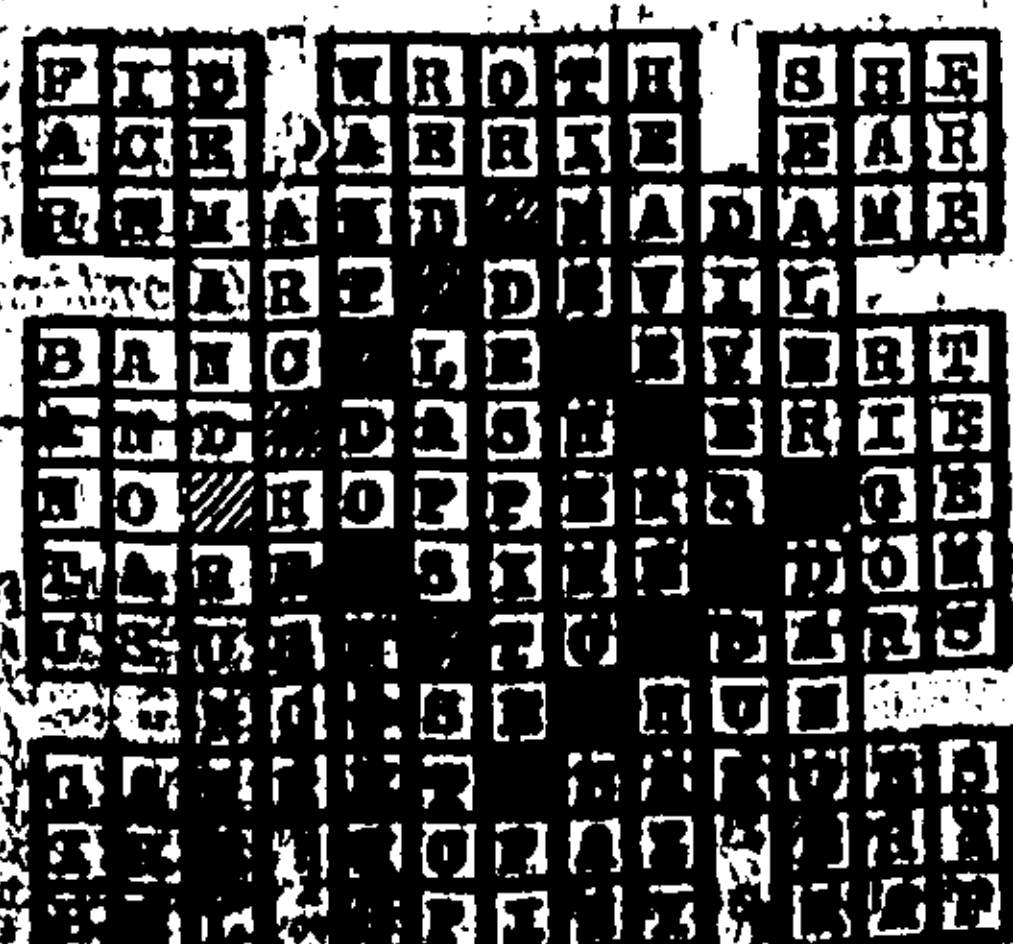
VERTICAL

- 1 Mountains
- 2 Colloquial: to anger
- 3 Fillet
- 4 Pertaining to kidney
- 5 To strike
- 6 Anent
- 7 Crane arm

VERTICAL

- 8 To sing
- 9 Heavenly beings
- 10 Commotion
- 11 Chinese shrubs
- 16 Wife of Geraint
- 18 Old Greek coin
- 22 Calyx leaf
- 23 Ate
- 24 Beetle
- 25 Babylonian god
- 27 Front
- 29 Some
- 30 Deer
- 35 One by one
- 36 Only
- 37 Incarnation of Vishnu
- 38 To mock
- 40 Valleys
- 42 Makes docile
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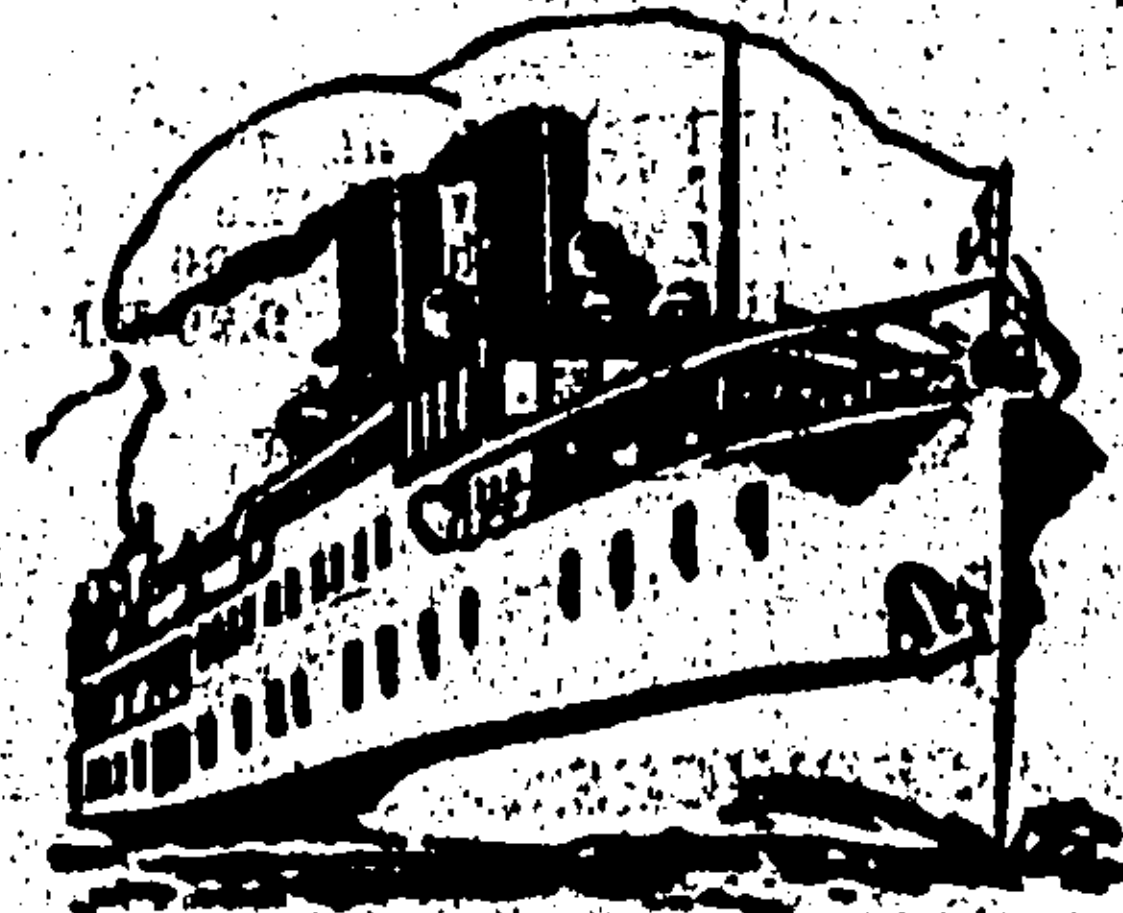
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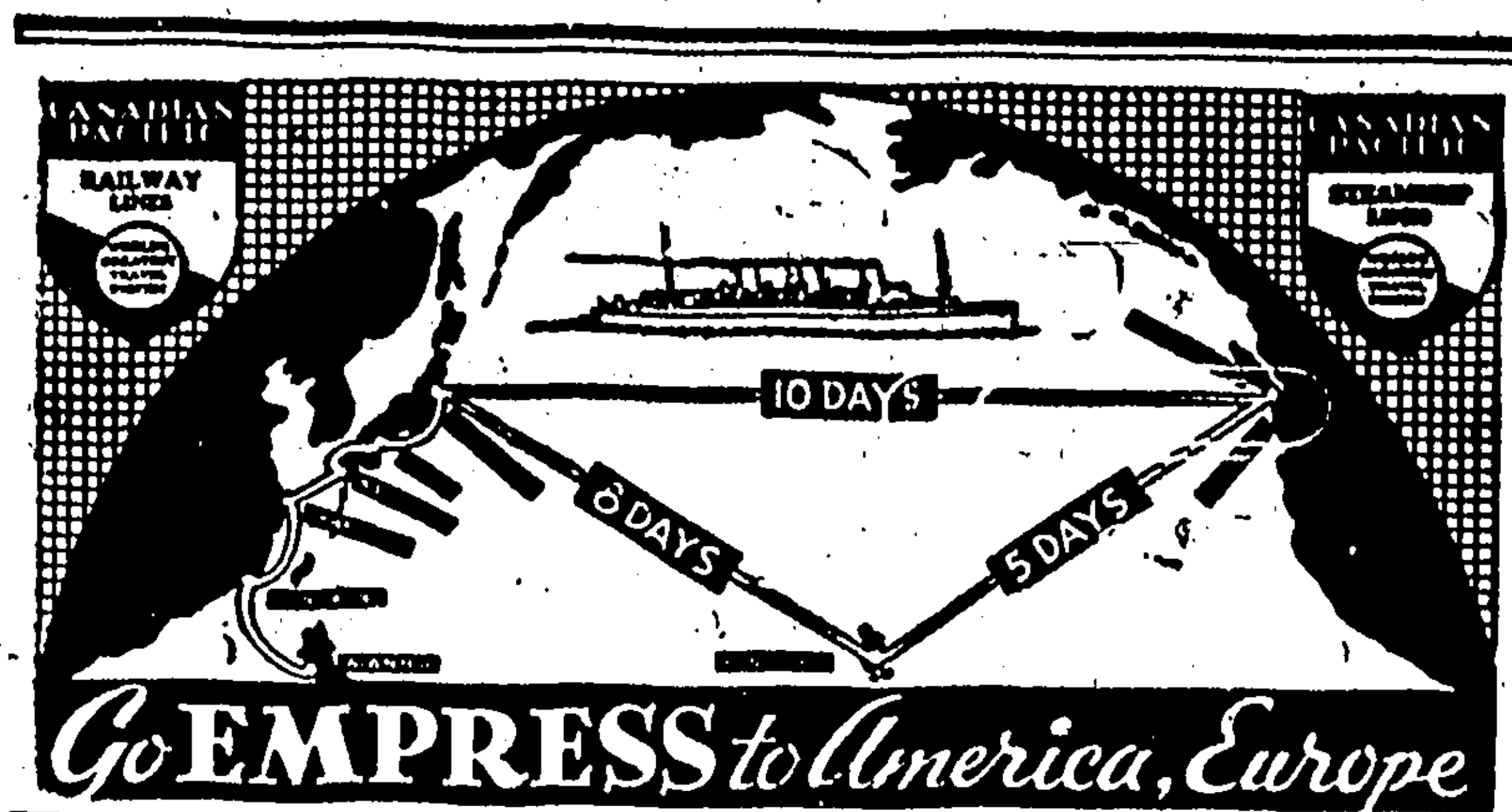
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MALAYAN PRINCE WAS LOVER OF ENGLISH EX-TUTOR'S WIFE

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They went to the bedroom and considerable force was used to open the door.

When they got in Mrs. Preedy was not in the bedroom. She was in an inner room called the "mosquito room," and was asked if there was anyone else in the room. She said there was not.

Mr. Preedy looked round and saw the co-respondent crouching near a dressing table.

Raja Mohamed's slippers were outside the door and, on seeing that he was discovered, he said: "Sorry, sir," and bolted as fast as he could, knocking over something in the hall.

Mrs. Preedy said the co-respondent's visit that night was absolute innocent and that what happened was that he had promised to take her to the opera, but arrived dishevelled and late owing to a cricket match and desired a bath.

He went into the bathroom while she was outside all the time.

"I TOOK POISON . . ." DID NOT WANT HIS RUIN

Mrs. Preedy had also said that Mohamed did not run out when her husband arrived.

Mr. Justice Hodson said Mrs. Preedy did not, at the time, attempt to give her husband the explanation she had now given.

She first of all declared her love for the correspondent and her intention of having him and also referred to her husband's conduct as being some justification for her action.

She also did that again in a letter she wrote that night to Mr. Walker saying she would do anything she could to right the wrong she had done "the boy" and not trying to excuse her conduct.

On May 10, when going to England, Mrs. Preedy wrote:

"The chief reason I took the poison was because I thought that if I died the Raja would be able to keep his job—I didn't want to be responsible for the ruin of his career."

Mr. Justice Hodson said: "I feel satisfied beyond doubt that adultery has been committed, and that, whatever may have been the actual dates when it was committed, the circumstances of April 17 are such as to lead me to draw the necessary conclusion that an adulterous association existed between these two people."

JUDGE'S REFERENCE TO NATIVE WOMEN

It was a case, Mr. Justice Hodson added, in which the husband had to ask for the exercise of the Court's discretion.

During his wife's absence in England he committed adultery with native women on occasions, but he disclosed this to his wife on her return, and he had disclosed it to the Court.

"I see no reason why there should be any refusal of a divorce on that account," the Judge said.

A delay in the husband's disclosure seemed to have been due partly to the fact that he was in Malaya when he first made it, and it was not passed on to the solicitors acting for him in London or disclosed in the petition in the ordinary way.

It was not set out on paper until just before the hearing began.

Mr. Justice Hodson exercised his discretion in favour of Mr. Preedy and granted him a decree nisi, with costs against Mohamed.

H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

Orders by Lieut. Colonel H. B. Rose, M.C. Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, Friday, 9th June, 1939.

PROMOTIONS

Extracts from Government Gazette No. 23 of 2.6.39.

"No. 441—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the following promotions in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps with effect from 16th May, 1939:—

Captain Harry Owen Hughes to be Major.

Captain Evan Georges Tewart to be Major.

Lieutenant Andrew Walton Brown to be Captain.

2nd June, 1939."

"No. 442—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the following appointments in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps:—

Sergeant Henry Thomas Buxton to be Second Lieutenant, with effect from 12th May, 1939.

Gunner David McLellan to be Second Lieutenant, with effect from 12th May, 1939.

Bombardier Douglas James Smyth Crozier to be Second Lieutenant, with effect from 12th May, 1939.

Sergeant Bevan Clarence Field to be Second Lieutenant, with effect from 15th May, 1939.

Lance Corporal Joaquim Jeronymo Gutterres to be Second Lieutenant, with effect from 17th May, 1939.

2nd June, 1939."

EFFICIENCY MEDAL

Extract from Government Gazette No. 23 of 2.6.39.

"No. 443.—In accordance with the Regulations as to grant, forfeiture, restoration and other matters concerning the Efficiency Medal, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize the following award:—

EFFICIENCY MEDAL

Sergeant George Edward Leonard Johnson.

Sergeant Virgilio Antonio Neves.

Sergeant Jose Pedro Baleros.

Private Alberto Luiz Vieira Remedios.

Private Alexander Garcia.

30th May, 1939."

MANNING EXERCISE

Thursday, 15th June. H. Q. 5.15 p.m. Those detailed from the following units will attend:—

Corps Artillery.
D.E.L. Section.
Beach Light Company.
Corps Signals.
No. 1 M. G. Company.
No. 4 M. G. Company.
PARADES

1ST BATTERY

Friday, 16th June. Belchers. 5.45 p.m. Description of equipment. Dress—S. D. caps, overalls and gun platform shoes.

2ND BATTERY

Wednesday, 14th June. Scandal Point. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed for Range Takers' and Layers' Courses (2 parades weekly). Dress—S. D. caps and overalls.

Thursday, 15th June. Scandal Point. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed for Range Takers' and Layers' Courses (2 parades weekly). Dress—S. D. caps and overalls.

3RD BATTERY

Monday 12th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. All recruits.

Wednesday, 14th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. All recruits.

D. E. L. SECTION

Monday, 12th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed, squad drill.

Thursday, 15th June. See para. 3 above.

BEACH LIGHT COMPANY
Thursday, 15th June. See para. 3 above.

DEMOLITION AND WORKS COMPANY
Thursday, 15th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m.

Lecture—Connections.

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THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.
THERAPION No. 1
THERAPION No. 2
THERAPION No. 3

H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

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CORPS SIGNALS

Monday, 12th June. H. Q. 5.15 p.m. Line and Operating Section. Reconnaissance party. Recruits, jointing and line work.

Tuesday, 13th June. H. Q. 5.15 p.m. Reconnaissance left wing.

Thursday, 15th June. H. Q. 5 p.m. Left Wing detachment. Uniform etc as detailed.

Friday, 16th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. D/R Section. Cycle maintenance.

ARMoured CAR PLATOON

Tuesday, 13th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Driving and M. G. training.

MOTOR MACHINE GUN PLATOON

Friday, 16th June. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O.'s H. Q. Privates, Hung Hom Railway Depot. Riding practice.

NO. 1. M. G. COMPANY

Tuesday, 13th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 4 (Troop) Platoon, M. G. training.

Thursday, 15th June. H. Q. 5.00 p.m. Details will be issued by Company circular.

NO. 2 M. G. COMPANY

Thursday, 15th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. M. G. training.

NO. 3 M. G. COMPANY

See Company circular.

NO. 4 M. G. COMPANY

Thursday 15th June. See para. 3 above.

NO. 5 M. G. COMPANY

Tuesday, 13th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed, E.G.D., fire orders and I.A. Remainder, mechanism, heads 1.4.

A. A. COMPANY

Tuesday, 13th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Elementary mechanism, backward and forward action. Points B.D.A.

ARMY SERVICE CORPS COMPANY

Thursday, 15th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Musketry.

FIELD AMBULANCE

Wednesday, 14th June. H. Q. (i) N.C.O.'s. Class, 5.30 p.m. (ii) Remainder, 6 p.m.

PAY SECTION

Friday, 16th June. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. CORPS ORDERS-AMENDMENT

Corps Orders No. 22/39 dated 2.6.39.

Para. 8. Strength-increase. Against Gnr. R. J. M. Darnley for "1st Bty."

read "2nd Bty."

TRANSFERS

1971, Gnr. I. G. Johnson, 1st Bty. Corps Signals. 6.6.39.

854, C.Q.M.S. H. J. Millington Corps Signals, D. & W. Coy. 7.6.39.

1258, Pte. W. C. Simpson, Res. Sec. A. D. & W. Coy. 7.6.39.

2977, Pte. K. Lund, Res. Sec. B. A. S. C. Res. 7.6.39.

Major, R. D. Walker, R.O.D.C. D. & W. Coy. 9.6.39.

Lt. C. J. Waddell, R.O.D.C. D. & W. Coy. 9.6.39.

LEAVE

3184, Pte. P. P. Mari, Field Amb. 31.5.39. to 15.9.39.

1708, Cpl. H. W. Brown, D.E.L. Sec. 1.6.39. to 1.10.39.

3204, Pte. J. Amceerali, Field Amb. 5.6.39. to 4.9.39.

Capt. K. S. Morrison, Reserve of Officers. 9.6.39 to 8.1.40.

STRENGTH-DECREASES

2669, Pte. R. A. Boyd, No. 3 M. C. Coy. 10.5.38.

2453, Pte. A. T. Lee, No. 3 M. G. Coy. 19.8.38.

2935, Pte. G. H. Mann, No. 1 M.G. Coy. 6.2.39.

2502, Signmn. Gurdal Singh, Corps Signals. 30.3.39.

1616, Spr. J. J. Ferguson, R.O.D.C., Con. Sec. 23.5.39.

1515, B.S.M. C. E. Moore, 2nd Bty. 1.6.39.

2950, Signmn. L. Louey, Corps Signals. 2.6.39.

2707, Signmn. H. F. Venables, Corps Signals. 2.6.39.

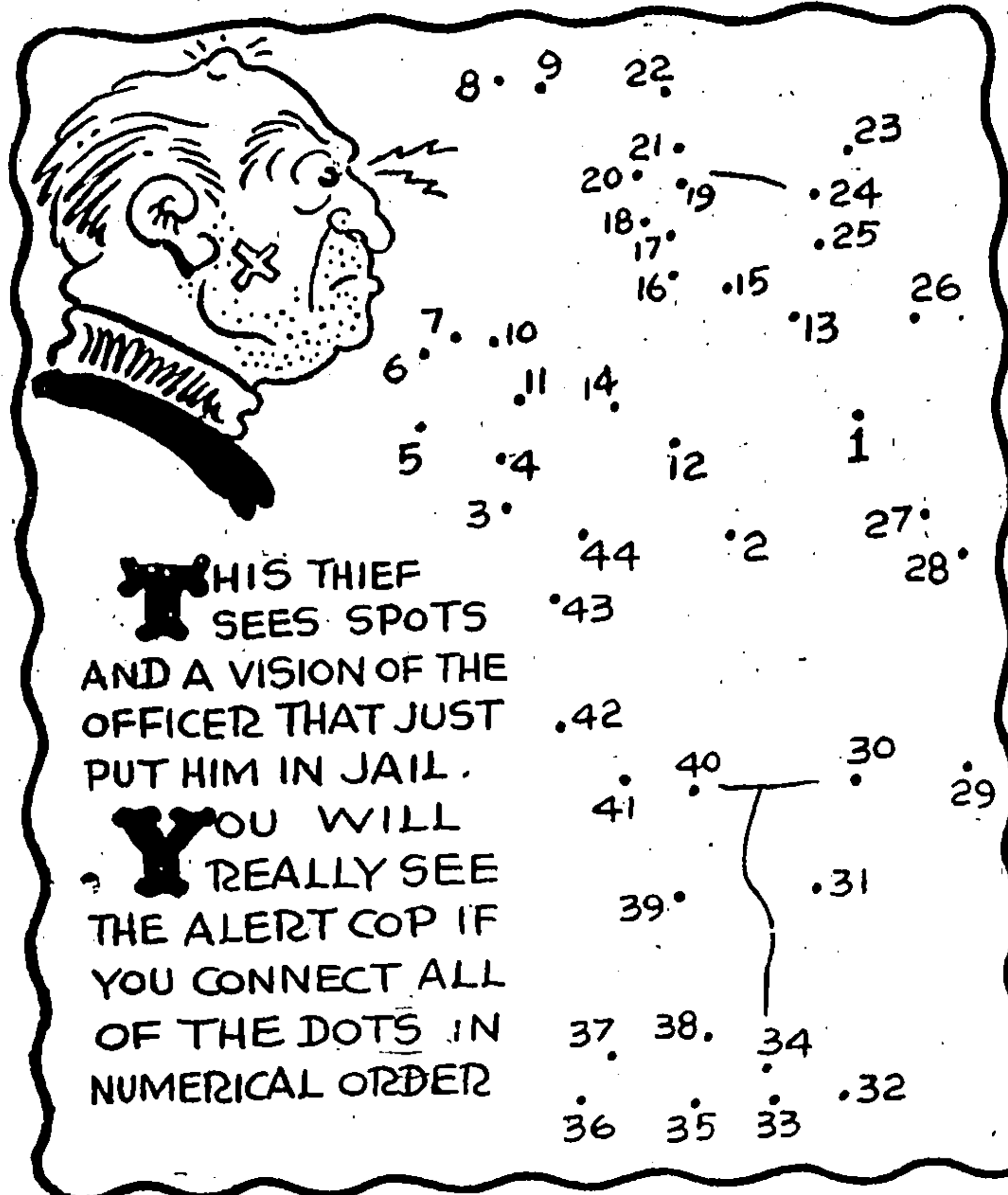
STRENGTH-INCREASE

3401, Gnr. W. M. Brown, 1st Bty. 2.6.39.

3402, Gnr. L. A. R. Duncan, 1st Bty. 2.6.39.

3403, Gnr. B. Lipkovsky, 1st Bty. 2.6.39.

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2304, Pte. V. V. Fasciato, No. 1 M. G. Coy. 2.6.39.
3405, Signmn. H. L. Carson, Corps Signals 5.6.39.
3406, Pte. G. V. Bird No. 1. M. G. Coy. No. 4 Pl. 6.6.39.
3407, Gnr. N. P. Fox, 2nd Bty. 6.6.39.
3408, Gnr. F. W. Moon, 2nd Bty. 6.6.39.
3409, Pte. J. Roscoe, M. M. G. Pl. 6.6.39.

S. W. THURSBY, CAPTAIN, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

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The next lecture on Home Nursing will be given at the Military Hospital, Bowen Road at 5.30 p.m. on Monday 12th June Transport will leave Corps Headquarters at 5.15 p.m.
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London, To-day.—Batsmen were again in complete command in Home first-class cricket matches which concluded yesterday. None of the 11 fixtures which commenced on Wednesday finished in two days.

There were some excellent performances recorded. Yorkshire again being well to the fore with a brilliant win over Leicestershire at Hull.

With C. S. Dempster, the former New Zealand test cricketer and Leicestershire's present captain, making 165 not out, Leicestershire made 366 in their first innings.

Yorkshire made light of this task. Sutcliffe made 234 not out towards a total of 500 for 7 dec. and then Verity put Leicestershire out for 104 in their second innings to enable the Tykes to win by an innings and 30 runs.

There was some colossal scoring at Nottingham where Essex, despite a first innings total of 531 for 7 dec., were beaten by the large margin of 8 wickets.

Essex secured a first-innings lead of 113 and in an effort to score a win, declared their second innings closed at 124 for 7. They did not reckon with Keeton and Notts, however. These two players were featured in an unbroken third-wickets stand and the required

runs were knocked off with 8 wickets to spare, in 100 minutes.

Glamorgan Again

Special mention must again be made of Glamorgan for a fine display against Kent. The Hop County batted first and made 471, to which both



W. R. HAMMOND, Gloucestershire and England, the first batsman to reach 1,000 runs this season.

Ames and Todd made substantial contributions. Glamorgan set about their task with a will. M. J. Turnbull, their captain, led the way with 102, while E. Jones also topped the century mark.

**Rapier's Selections
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AJAX
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Outsider:—Southern Star.

RACE NO. 2

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WILD BEAR
ASCOT VALE

Outsider:—Phoenix.

RACE NO. 3

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ROSE EMILY
GALVESTON BAY

Outsider:—Lovely Star.

RACE NO. 4

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RADIUM STAR
WELCOME

Outsider:—Kut Cheung.

RACE NO. 5

VIOLET QUEEN
STRATHCARRICK
TWILIGHT STAR

Outsider:—Murray River.

RACE NO. 6

LAUGHING GIRL
TYNE
BRIGHT VIEW

Outsider:—Boolat Bay

RACE NO. 7

POTENTATE
HUMDRUM EVE
LANCASHIRE LASS

Outsider:—Oak Bay.

RACE NO. 8

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DERBY DAY
TORNADO STAR

Outsider:—Janber.

RACE NO. 9

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Outsider:—Ebony Idol.

Daily Double:—VIOLET QUEEN
AND POTENTATE

With insufficient time to force a conclusion, Kent batted for the remainder of the match and made 306 for 4, of which Fagg, former test player made 169 not out.

At Gloucester, W. R. Hammond, the England skipper, made 135 and in so doing became the first batsman of the season to reach 1,000 runs. His batting and Scott's bowling gave Gloucestershire victory by an innings and 57 runs over Surrey.

Mishaps

The cricket programme was marked by an extraordinary number of mishaps. Mitchell, of Derbyshire, the leg-break bowler, broke a finger of his left hand whilst playing against Worcester. Nicholls, of Essex broke a toe in his right foot, while K. E. S. Wyatt, the Warwickshire amateur, received a blow over the heart whilst batting and was forced to undergo treatment for a clot of blood which had formed.

He insisted on batting the next day against doctor's orders but was immediately forced to retire when he received a severe blow over the thumb.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

At Chesterfield, Derbyshire beat Worcestershire by 315 runs. Derbyshire—158 and 421 for 9 dec. (Smith 123). Worcestershire—162 and 102 (Alfred Pope 6 for 47).

At Wagon Works Ground, Gloucester, Gloucestershire beat Surrey by an innings and 57 runs. Surrey—236 and 171 (Scott 7 for 80). Gloucestershire—464 (W. R. Hammond 135).

At Horsham, Sussex beat Warwickshire by 4 wickets. Warwickshire—217 (James Langridge 5 for 12) and 167. Sussex—179 (Mayer 6 for 70) and 206 for 6 (James Langridge 87 not out).

At Hull, Yorkshire beat Leicestershire by an innings and 30 runs. Leicestershire—366 (C. S. Dempster 165 not out) and 104 (Verity 8 for 38). Yorkshire—500 for 7 dec. (Sutcliffe 234 not out).

At Frome, Middlesex beat Somerset by 5 wickets. Somerset—354 (Lee 151; Sims 6 for 113) and 139 (Sims 6 for 53). Middlesex—312 and 184 for 5 (Compton 103 not out, Edrich 71).

At Tonbridge, Glamorgan beat Kent on the first innings. Kent—471 (Ames 177, Todd 115 not out) and 306 for 4 (Fagg 169 not out). Glamorgan—492 (M. J. Turnbull 102, E. Jones 105 not out).

At Nottingham, Notts beat Essex by 8 wickets. Essex—531 for 7 dec. (O'Connor 194) and 124 for 7 dec. Notts—418 (Harris 196) and 238 for 2 (Keeton 93 not out, Hardstaff 67 not out).

At Southampton, Lancashire beat Hants by 6 wickets. Hampshire—434 (Hopwood 135, Iddon 102 not out; Philipson 7 for 104) and 206 for 8 dec. Lancashire—256 and 385 for 4.

OTHER MATCHES

At Cambridge, Cambridge University drew with Army. Cambridge—411 for 8 dec. and 149 for 7. Army—537 (Grimston 104, Packe 145).

At Oxford, the Minor Counties beat Oxford University by 4 wickets. Oxford—281 and 256. Minor Counties—236 and 304 for 6.

At Northampton, West Indies beat Northants by 9 wickets. Northants—107 and 299. West Indies—382 and 25 for 1. (Continued on Page 21)



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LAWN BOWLS

BIG TASK CONFRONTS I.R.C. TO-DAY

(By "SKIP")

As I write, weather conditions could hardly look less hopeful, but I trust that our local clerk of the weather will take pity on we bowlers, make up his mind in good time, and so obviate that uncertainty which is so irritating to enthusiasts.

An interesting programme is down for decision, the most important match being that at Hung Hom, where the Kowloon Dock team for the game against Club de Recreio "A", appears to be pretty strong.

Although they have ground advantage to-day it must be remembered that the Dock team were only able to tie against Club de Recreio "B" team at King's Park on Saturday and I do not expect them to pull off a victory.

The Indians have to visit King's Park and will have a difficult task in trying to beat the Portuguese boys: on form they should do so but I am not

so sure! The Civil Servants may secure a couple of points at the expense of Police and I expect Craigen-gower, at home, to defeat Kowloon Bowling Green Club in spite of the strengthening of the latter's team by the promotion of A. J. Hall to skip.

SECOND DIVISION

In the Second Division, Craigen-gower may be expected to secure the second leg of the treble against the Civil Servants who I am afraid are not nearly strong enough to extend them, while Kowloon Bowling Green Club should be able to get the better of Kowloon Tong, who lost heavily on their own green on Thursday to give Kowloon Football Club their first points.

The Police should have a tight struggle against the last-named club but may just about pull it off. The best match in the Division should be that between Taikoo and Hong Kong Football Club. As the match is at Quarry Bay I anticipate a victory—not just a win!—for the home team.

THIRD DIVISION

Prison Officers' Club, who are to be congratulated on their first win on

SKIP'S FORECAST FOR TO-DAY

FIRST DIVISION

Kowloon Dock R.C. (43)	v	Club de Recreio "A" (60)
†Club de Recreio "B" (—)	v	Indian Recreation Club (—)
Civil Service C.C. (66)	v	Police Recreation Club (53)
Craigengower C.C. (64)	v	Kowloon B.G.C. (55)

SECOND DIVISION

Craigengower C.C. (67)	v	Civil Service C.C. (49)
Kowloon B.G.C. (—)	v	†Kowloon Tong G.C.A. (—)
Police R.C. (—)	v	†Kowloon Football Club (—)
Taikoo R.C. (71)	v	H.K. Football Club "A" (52)

THIRD DIVISION

Kowloon B.G.C. (—)	v	Kowloon Cricket Club (—)
Kowloon Football Club (—)	v	Craigengower C.C. (—)
Prison Officers' Club (—)	v	R.H.K. Yacht Club (—)
H.K. Football Club (50)	v	Club de Recreio "C" (57)

Figures in brackets denotes score last year.
† denotes a promoted team.

Thursday, should be able to collect another couple of points, as should Kowloon Bowling Green Club, although the latter will probably have a stiff game.

I am afraid that Craigen-gower will not be able to complete the treble as they play at Chatham Road, whilst Hong Kong Football Club will have to be up to scratch to beat Club de Recreio's third team.

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RACING TIME GUIDE

The following time guide gives all placed ponies, weights, jockeys, won by and time, during each Meeting to date at the Valley, A. M. standing for Annual Meeting and E. for Extra Meeting. Figures denote various days of meetings.

CHINA PONIES

Half Mile

- 0.58.3 (record)—Portrush (Encarnacao, 155); 2, Ring Master (Tao, 158); 3, Kut Cheong (Wei, 152). 2 & neck. (A.M. 1).
- 0.58.4—Strathbannock (Gregory, 161); 2, Radium Star (Marshall, 155); 3, King's Envoy (Needa, 158). 2 & ½. (A.M. 1).
- 0.58.4—Willynilly (Chao, 155); 2, Magog (Needa, 158); 3, Talkative (Tao, 158). 1½ & 1. (A.M. 1).
- 1.03.3—Green Bay (Treverton, 155); 2, National Honour (Yeung Wing Kwai, 158); 3, Welcome (Payne, 161). 1½ & 3. (5th E. 1).
- Half Mile and 170 Yards
- 1.05.0 (record)—Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 161); 2, King's Warden (Needa, 161); 3, Bear Claw (Wei, 161). 2½ & 1. (A.M. 1).
- 1.06.2—Conquering Time (Pote-Hunt, 158); 2, Eve of Heaven (Marshall, 161); 3, Avon (Hearne, 161). 2 & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 1.07.2—Eve of Heaven (Marshall, 161); 2, Galveston Bay (Wei, 161); 3, Peaceful View (Pih, 161). 3 & 2. (A.M. 3).
- 1.09.4—Marksman (Wong, 158); 2, Guinness Time (Pote-Hunt, 158); 3, Magog (Needa, 158). 1½ & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 1.10.4—Pinfarthings (Churchill, 161); 2, Rose Jane (Encarnacao, 168); 3, Rose Evelyn (Needa, 158). 1 & 2. (5th E. 2).
- 1.11.1—Wilber (Raymond, 152); 2, Green Bay (Tao, 156); 3, Welcome (Chao, 161). ½ and 1. (2nd E. 2).
- 1.11.3—Rose-Queen (Encarnacao, 166); 2, Galveston Bay (Black, 168); 3, Laughing Girl (Liang, 155). 1 & ½. (5th E. 2).
- 1.11.4—Desert Star (S. W. Pan, 155); 2, Dekko (P. Y. T. Wei, 161); 3, Guinness Time (C. Encarnacao, 158). Neck and head. (1st E.).
- 1.12.0—February Fourth (Encarnacao, 153); 2, Sea Horse (Proulx, 148); 3, Radium Star (Pih, 149). 2 and neck. (2nd E. 1).

Six Furlongs

- 1.23.4 (record)—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Lilliber (Black, 161); 3, Blue Express (Poy, 161). Many & neck. (A.M. 1).
- 1.26.1—King's Warden (V. V. Needa, 161); 2, Humdrum Eve (H. C. Pih, 161); 3, Oak Bay (B. A. Proulx, 161). 2 and same (1st E.).
- 1.26.2—Hectic View (Pih, 148); 2, Jennifer (Proulx, 157); 3, Blue Diamond (Woo, 152). 1½ and 5 (2nd E. 1).
- 1.28.0—Blue Express (Encarnacao,

161); 2, Avon (Hearne, 161); 3, Galveston Bay (Wei, 161). 4 & ½. (A.M. 4).

- 1.28.1—Eve of Harvest (Hearne, 163); 2, Conquering Time (Needa, 155); 3, Jennifer (Proulx, 150). Neck & neck. (5th E. 1).
- 1.28.3—Musketeer (Liang, 152); 2, Marksman (Wong, 158); 3, Oranje Boven (Encarnacao, 158). 2 & 3. (A.M. 1).
- 1.28.4—Avon (G. Treverton, 151); 2, Peaceful View (K. I. Ip, 161); 3, Jennifer (R. M. Wood, 161). Neck and 2 (1st E.).
- 1.29.1—Hectic View (Pih, 168); 2, King Kong (Raymond, 151) and Rose Emily (Encarnacao, 158). 1½ and dead heat. (3rd E.).
- 1.30.3—Avon (Wei, 156); 2, Lancashire Lass (Tao, 156); 3, Just In Time (Needa, 154). 1 & 1. (5th E. 1).
- 1.30.4—King Kong (Liang, 161); 2, Bressay (Hearne, 161); 3, Guinness Time (Pote-Hunt, 158). Head & same. (A.M. 4).
- 1.31.4—Pinfarthings (Churchill, 161); 2, Rose-Queen (Poy, 158); 3, Laughing Girl (Liang, 151). 6 and 2 (3rd E.).
- 1.32.0—Some Hope (Encarnacao, 151); 2, Heddon (Wei, 151); 3, Gog (Needa, 151). Neck and 2. (4th E.).
- 1.32.0—Double Chance (Raymond, 161); 2, Valorous (Ip Kui Ying, 160); 3, Sylvandale (Coppin, 168). Neck and neck. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.34.2—Tribute (Tao, 156); 2, Racing Boy (Chanson, 155); 3, Meteor (Churchill, 161). ½ and neck. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.34.2—Dekko (Wei, 140); 2, Sylvandale (Needa, 166); 3, Royal Highness (Encarnacao, 154). Neck & neck. (5th E. 1).
- 1.34.2—Ascot Vale (Encarnacao, 151); 2, Welcome (Chao, 161); 3, West Lake (Chanson, 148). ½ & ½. (5th E. 2).
- 1.38.2—Guinness Time (Hearne, 151); 2, Radium Star (S. W. Pan, 140); 3, Tribute (Tao, 165). 1 & 1½. (5th E. 1).
- 7 Furlongs 45 Yards
- 1.45.2—Red Feather (Wei, 161); 2, Moonlight View (Pih, 161); 3, Humdrum Eve (T. L. Wong, 161). 1½ & short head. (A.M. 4).

One Mile

- 1.55.0 (equals record)—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 168); 2, Bear Claw (Black, 143); 3, King's Warden (Needa, 148). 2 and 6 (2nd E. 2).
- 1.55.1—Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 161); 2, King's Warden (Needa, 161); 3, Bear Claw (Black, 161). 3 & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 1.57.1—Hyndford Bridge (Needa, 158); 2, Jennifer (Black, 161); 3, Galaxy (Chao, 158). 1½ & 1½. (A.M. 2).
- 1.57.2—New Star (Marshall, 155); 2, Moonlight View (Pih, 144); 3,

Humdrum Eve (T. L. Wong, 165). Short head, same. (A.M. 3).

- 1.57.4—Moonlight View (Pih, 157); 2, Rob Roy (Encarnacao, 165); 3, Conquering Time (Woo, 158). Short head and 1½. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.57.4—Galaxy (Chao, 158); 2, Avon (Wei, 158) and Gladiator (Tao, 153). 3 and dead heat. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.58.2—Galaxy (Needa, 148); 2, Hectic View (Pih, 144); 3, Jennifer (Proulx, 149). neck & many. (5th E. 2).
- 1.58.3—Lilliber (D. Black, 166); 2, Peaceful View (H. C. Pih, 158); English Cavalier (C. Encarnacao, 154). 3 and 1½. (A.M. 5).
- 1.59.4—Jennifer (Proulx, 168); 2, King Kong (Raymond, 148); 3, Rose Emily (Poy, 158). ½ and ½. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.01.1—Tampa Bay (Black, 168); 2, Scenic View (Pih, 147); 3, King's Lead (Needa, 142). Short head & short head. (A.M. 1).
- 2.01.2—King Kong (B. L. Tao, 155); 2, Strathbannock (D. Black, 154); 3, Musketeer (P. Y. T. Wei, 168). 2 and 4 (1st E.).
- 2.01.4—Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 165); 2, Bistre (Chanson, 160); 3, Salvage-Master (Tao, 165). 4 & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 2.01.4—Diamond (Woo, 158); 3, Forgotten Star (Pan, 161). Neck & 1½. (A.M. 3).
- 2.01.4—Galaxy (Chao, 158); 2, Blue
- 2.02.1—Scenic View (Pih, 159); 2, Rose-Queen (Encarnacao, 153); 3, Bistre (Chanson, 150). 1 and 2. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.03.3—Advancing Time (Ho Hong Ping, 161); 2, Night View (Encarnacao, 168) and Ebony Idol (Proulx, 147). 2 and dead heat. (4th E.).
- 2.04.0—Chatterbox (C. Encarnacao, 155); 2, February Fourth (T. L. Wong, 155); 3, Matador (S. C. Liang, 161). 2 and 2 (A.M. 5).
- 2.04.2—Oranje Boven (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Milleaye (Needa, 155); 3, Phoenix (Li, 155). 4 & neck. (A.M. 4).
- 2.04.4—This Time (Pote-Hunt, 158); 2, Tiny Tim (Proulx, 152); 3, Wild Bear (Pih, 152). 2 & 1. (A.M. 3).
- 2.05.2—Sylvandale (A. D. Coppin, 165); 2, Flybynight (Ho Hong-ping, 147); 3, Ebony Idol (Treverton, 140). Neck & neck. (A.M. 4).
- 2.06.0—Starlet (P. L. Chiu, 158); 2, Sports Venture (C. Encarnacao, 158); 3, Wilber (D. Black, 152). ½ and 2. (A.M. 5).
- 2.06.1—Wilber (Raymond, 147); 2, Clownier (Tao, 155); 3, Starlet (P. L. Chiu, 151). ½ and ½. (4th E.).
- 2.06.1—Marksman (T. L. Wong, 165); 2, Portrush (Encarnacao, 162); 3, Chatterbox (Tao, 156). 5 & neck. (A.M. 3).
- 2.07.3—Milleaye (Needa, 149); 2, Tiny Tim (F. F. Li, 148); 3, Sports Venture (Encarnacao, 152). 2 and 1½. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.09.3—Silver Star (B. L. Tao, 156); 2, Smiling Time (C. Encarnacao, 155); 3, Pall Mall (S. L. Yuen, 158). Neck and head. (1st E.).
- 1 Mile 171 Yards
- 1.59.4—Eve of Harvest (Marshall, 158); 2, Lilliber (Black, 161); 3, Peaceful View (Pih, 161). 3 & 1. (A.M. 4).
- 2.00.3—Honeymoon Eve (T. L. Wong, 161); 2, Just In Time (Pote-Hunt, 161). 4. (A.M. 4).
- 2.05.2—Bistre (Chanson, 155); 2, Dekko (Hearne, 155); 3, Desert Star (Needa, 150). 2 & 1. (A.M. 4).
- 2.07.4—Rob Roy (C. Encarnacao, 152); 2, King's Warden (V. V. Needa, 168); 3, Oak Bay (B. A. Proulx, 144). 1½ and 2½. (A.M. 5).
- 2.12.3—Phoenix (Chiu, 155); 2, Wild Bear (K. I. Ip, 152); 3, Geordie (Sadick, 155). ½ and 2. (2nd E. 1).
- 2.13.0—Celtic Star (Wong, 158); 2, Musketeer (Liang, 152); 3, Cyclone (Chao, 161). Short head & 2. (A.M. 2).
- 2.13.0—Just In Time (C. Encarnacao, 168); 2, Boolat Bay (H. J. A. Hearne, 168); 3, King's Lead (V. V. Needa, 144). ½ and 2. (A.M. 5).
- 2.13.1—Moonlight View (Chao, 161); 2, Humdrum Eve (Pih, 150); 3, New Star (S. W. Pan, 151). Neck and 1. (3rd E.).
- 2.13.4—Celtic Star (Needa, 148); 2, Rose Jane (Encarnacao, 165); 3, Pinfarthings (Churchill, 161). ½ and 2. (4th E.).
- 2.15.0—Rose Jane (C. Encarnacao, 160); 2, Tampa Bay (D. Black,

168); 3, Scenic View (H. C. Pih, 146). Short head and 2. (A.M. 5).

- 2.15.2—King Kong (Raymond, 161); 2, Marksman (Needa, 168); 3, Celtic Star (Tao, 161). 4 & ½. (5th E. 1).
- 2.16.3—Potentate (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Just In Time (Needa, 154); 3, Jobber (Raymond, 151). 1½ and short head. (3rd E.).
- 2.17.2—Salvage Master (Tao, 165); 2, Double Chance (Needa, 168); 3, Dekko (Hearne, 166). 2 & same. (A.M. 3).
- 2.18.2—Strathbannock (Black, 161); 2, Sylvandale (Needa, 168); 3, Valorous (Ip Kui Ying, 162). 1 and 3. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.19.0—Rose-Queen (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Laughing Girl (Liang, 151); 3, Bright View (Fung, 147). 1½ and 1½. (4th E.).
- 2.21.3—Fei Ying (Proulx, 146); 2, This Time (Woo, 163); 3, Tempest (Encarnacao, 150). ½ and 2. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.31.0—National Service (Yeung Wing Kwai, 158); 2, Some Hope (K. I. Ip, 155); Thanksgiving Day (Chiu Ki Fan, 152). 1½ and 2. (3rd E.).

1¼ Miles

- 2.24.0—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Desert Chief (Poy, 161); 3, King's Warden (Marshall, 161). 2 & 6. (A.M. 4).
- 2.26.1—Navylight (Pih, 161); 2, Eve of Harvest (Marshall, 158); 3, Conquering Time (Pote-Hunt, 158). many & 3. (A.M. 1).
- 2.28.0—Wild Life (Wei, 145); 2, Rob Roy (Encarnacao, 152); 3, New Star (Marshall, 152). ½ & 1. (A.M. 2).
- 2.28.2—Rose Elect (C. Encarnacao, 168); 2, Moonlight View (H. C. Pih, 140); 3, Red Feather (D. Black, 140). 5 and 3. (1st E.).
- 2.30.2—Hyndford Bridge (Needa, 163); 2, Conquering Time (Pote-Hunt, 163). ½ length. (A.M. 3).
- 2.30.4—Confusion Bay (Black, 168); 2, Moonlight View (Pih, 140); 3, Bear Claw (Proulx, 161). 2 & 4. (5th E. 2).
- 2.32.3—Silkylight (Pote-Hunt, 163); 2, King's Warden (Needa, 161); 3, Wild Life (Black, 163). 6 & 3. (A.M. 3).
- 2.33.1—Eve of Harvest (Black, 166); 2, Blue Express (Encarnacao, 161); 3, Jennifer (Proulx, 158). Head and 2. (3rd E.).
- 2.33.3—Marksman (V. V. Needa, 158); 2, Celtic Star (T. L. Wong, 158); 3, Oranje Boven (C. Encarnacao, 158). 2½ and ½. (A.M. 5).
- 2.34.3—Rose Jane (C. Encarnacao, 152); 2, Tampa Bay (D. Black, 161); 3, Scenic View (H. C. Pih, 140). 1½ and 1 (1st E.).
- 2.35.0—English Cavalier (Encarnacao, 153); 2, Hectic View (Pih, 168); 3, Rose Emily (Poy, 154). 1½ and ½. (4th E.).
- 2.36.0—Marksman (Needa, 165); 2, Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 168); 3, Celtic Star (Tao, 159). 1½ and 2 (2nd E. 1).
- 2.38.4—Celtic Star (T. L. Wong, 158); 2, Oranje Boven (Encarnacao, 158); 3, National Honour (Chanson, 158). 2 & many. (A.M. 3).
- 2.41.4—Advancing Time (Ho Hong Ping, 163); 2, Plain View (Pih, 143); 3, Flybynight (Tang, 140). 1½ & 1. (5th E. 2).
- 2.47.1—Some Hope (Encarnacao, 151); 2, Wild Bear (Pih, 140); 3, Magog (Needa, 146). 4 & ½. (5th E. 2).
- 1½ Miles
- 2.55.4 (record)—Rose Elect (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Navylight (Pih, 161); 3, Eve of Harvest (Marshall, 158). Many & many. (A.M. 2).
- 3.04.1—Silkylight (Pote-Hunt, 161); 2, Moonlight View (Wong, 161); 3, Red Feather (Wei, 161). 3 & 3. (A.M. 1).
- 3.26.0—Celtic Star (Marshall, 158) and Marksman (T. L. Wong, 158) dead-heated for first; 3, February Fourth (Liang, 155). Dead heat & 4. (A.M. 4).
- 1½ Miles
- 3.40.3—Silkylight (Pote-Hunt, 161); 2, Red Feather (Wei, 161). Many. 2 starters only. (A.M. 2).

AUSTRALIAN PONIES

Six Furlongs

- 1.18.3—Vixen Tor (Proulx, 152); 2, Criffel (Needa, 155); 3, Strathcarrick (Gregory, 145). 3 & head. (A.M. 8).

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CRIPPS

DINNER DANCE

TO-NIGHT SATURDAY 10th June

9 p.m. till 1 a.m.

HONG KONG HOTEL

DIDN'T SEE HIS LAST OPPONENTS AT ALL,
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By Leo Fuller

ANDREW NEWTON JUNIOR, WORLD'S GAMEST BOXER

THE ring has provided tales of tragedy in plenty; stories of gameness and grit by the hundred, but never has the rope square produced a more fantastic man than Andrew Newton junior.

Son of the well-known 'Professor' Andrew Newton, veteran boxing instructor, Andrew was, a few years ago, a smashing welterweight. He could move like lightning. Hit with both hands. He met the best in the world in his class. Yet his appetite for action remained unsatisfied. Although never much more than the official 10st. 7lb. of a welterweight, he clashed with middles, light heavies, and heavyweights.

Whoever they were, they knew they'd been in a fight with Andrew Newton junior.

In 1926 he was forcing his way with dynamite gloves towards the championship, and he was matched with the great Len Harvey. For round after round the battle swayed, first Harvey in the front, then Newton forging ahead. In the first round Harvey had scored with a wicked right that had closed Newton's eye completely. Nevertheless, Andrew boxed with fine disdain for the injury. He carried on gamely until the eighth round, then the fight was stopped, and Harvey given the verdict.

But that eye never opened again. The optic nerve was injured, and after a succession of doctors had examined the injury the eye was completely removed.

But young Newton carried on. Somehow his boxing was unaffected. He stepped into the ring with such men as Marcel Thil, Jack Hook, Le Beasant, middleweight champion of France, and Porcher, welterweight king of the same country. And these were just a few.

Other Eye Weakened

Newton's other eye had been considerably weakened by the operation, and in the following two years he roamed Europe searching for specialists, and spending a fortune on fees. He travelled to Germany, Holland, Italy, France and Belgium in the hope of saving his sight. But his remaining eye got worse, and eventually Dr. Korsky of Germany gave Newton the worst verdict he ever heard in his life. He told Andrew that he would be stone blind within 12 months.

Yet Andrew rallied under that crushing blow, and gave proof that his indomitable courage was with him all ways, not only in the ring. Knowing his days of light were numbered, Andrew determined to go out in a blaze of glory. He took on anybody. He gave the fans some fighting they will never forget. As the crowds cheered hysterically at his whirlwind victories, as they rose to their feet and threw their caps in the air, when Newton sent his foes crashing to the canvas, they little realised they were watching a doomed man—going out with a grand gesture.

Newton fought like a fiend. He beat Leopardie, Italy's middleweight cham-

pion. Sensationally he defeated Domgoerin, Germany's middleweight title holder. And then came a battle with Marcel Thil, who by then had become middleweight champion of the world....

His Last Fight

For ten blazing rounds the two exchanged singing punches. Thil moved in a slight crouch, hammering to the body with his iron gloves, switching the attack to Newton's head. Furiously Andrew countered, and at times he drove the Frenchman clear across the ring on to the ropes, raking him with terrible hooks to the chin.

The crowd were berserk as the tenth round neared its end, and they howled their disagreement at the referee when he stopped the contest in favour of Thil.

But, as they cheered the bruised and battered Newton striding to his dressing room, none of them then knew that this great fighter was stone blind, that Marcel Thil's gloves had taken away the sight of his remaining eye.

"Actually I couldn't see my last opponents at all, they were all just moving shadows, and I fought more by ear than by sight," Andrew once told me.

Newton never faltered, and never despaired. Where many a man would have spent his life bemoaning his cruel luck, Andrew set about building a new career for himself on the ruins of the old. He knew he would live all his life in darkness, but somehow he couldn't keep away from the smell of resin and the thud of leathered fists. So he spent days practising on the bags and ball in his father's gymnasium. Then

he started to give exhibitions, and to see him is amazing. He is incredibly perfect. His timing is unbelievable. On the ball he used his head, hands and shoulders, and never once does he make a false move.

Teaches Boxing Now

He calls himself 'World's Champion Blind Ball Puncher and Boxer', and there can be few who can dispute this unique title. He teaches boxing now. No better tutor could be found anywhere.

He is always amazingly cheerful, and no stranger would realise that Newton was sightless. He walks around the gymnasium sure footed as a cat, knows where everything is, and moves around the ring with complete confidence. I sparred with him once, and it was an eerie experience. Removing his glass eyes, Newton shaped up, and we started. His head was cocked on one side as he listened to the shuffle of my feet. Then he lashed out and scored with a perfect left to the chin. When I tried to counterpunch he blocked my blows, found my jaw again, and tied me up in knots when I attempted to get close. In two rounds of sparring, he scarcely threw a wide punch, and I ducked away under the ropes, feeling that many a fighter blessed with the sight of both eyes would have a tough time with Andrew.

Game guys don't come so often, and I think Andrew Newton junior is one of the gamest who ever lived.

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Monday.—The Saga of Raft and Rosenbloom.

Racing Time Guide

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- 1.19.1—Cockleroi (Needa, 152); 2, Devonian (Hearne, 155); 3, Triumphant Day (Tao, 156). Neck & 2. (A.M. 1).
- 1.20.2—Rising Star (Raymond, 147); 2, Murrumbidgee (Black, 143); 3, Amber II (Ip Kui Ying, 144). 1½ and 6. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.22.0—Victory Day (Tao, 156); 2, Rivulet (Pih, 152); 3, Rising Star (Marshall, 152). Short head & 2. (A.M. 1).
- 1.22.1—Perfect Day (Tang, 138); 2, Twilight Star (S. W. Pan, 146); 3, Murray River (Wei, 141). 1 and short head. (3rd E.).
- 1.01.3—Bredon (B. A. Proulx, 155); 2, A Great Time (V. V. Needa, 152); 3, Strathcarrick (C. L. Gregory, 152). 3 and 2. (A.M. 5).
- 1.01.4—Derby Day (Pih, 155); 2, Vixen Tor (Proulx, 164); 3, Criffel (Encarnacao, 160). ¾ and short head. (2nd E. 2).
- 1.03.0—Sydney Lad (Proulx, 155); 2, Victory Day (Tao, 162); 3, Rising Star (Marshall, 152). ½ & 2. (A.M. 3).
- 1.06.2—Bruno (Churchill, 151); Baffin Bay (Wei, 145); 3, Ruby Star (S. W. Pan, 145). 2 and 1½. (3rd E.).
- 1.26.4—Ruby Star (Tao, 155); 2, Janber (Raymond, 152); 3, Baffin Bay (Proulx, 155). head & head. (5th E. 1).
- 1.46.2—Lancashire Chips (Wei, 147); 2, Lucky Lad (Needa, 152); 3, Double Finesse (Woo, 140). 3 and 5. (2nd E. 1).
- 1.46.3—Blandford (Poy, 147); 2, Snowy River (Hearne, 148); 3, Vixen Tor (Proulx, 149). Neck & ½. (A.M. 1).
- 1.47.2—King's Privilege (V. V. Needa, 146); 2, Criffel (B. A. Proulx, 155); 3, A Great Time (T. Y. Woo, 150). ½ and short head. (1st E.).
- 1.49.2—Rivulet (Pih, 152); 2, Laffat That (Happy Landings) (Davis, 152); 3, Devonian (Hearne, 155). 1½ & 1½. (A.M. 2).
- 1.49.3—Chiltern (O. Encarnacao, 155); 2, Devonian (D. Black, 155); 3, National Victory (S. W. Tang, 152). 1 and 2 (1st E.).
- 1.50.1—Camillelight (Pote-Hunt, 152); 2, Triumphant Day (Tao, 155); 3, King's Herald (Needa, 152). Many & 3. (A.M. 2).
- 1.50.1—National Victory (Chanson, 152); 2, Murrumbidgee (Black, 151); 3, Bruno (Churchill, 147). ½ and head. (2nd E. 2).
- 1.50.4—Courtting Eve (Pih, 165); 2, Double Finesse (Yuen, 135); 3, Triumphant Day (Tao, 154). 4 & 4. (5th E. 1).
- 1.50.4—Annabella (Raymond, 158); 2, A Great Time (Needa, 162); 3, Murray River (Black, 144). head & 3. (5th E. 2).
- 1.53.1—Vixen Tor (Proulx, 165); 2, Tornado Star (Wei, 143); 3, Rising Star (S. W. Pan, 135). 2 & 2. (5th E. 1).
- 1.57.2—Lancashire Chips (Black, 152); 2, Able Amazon (Marshall, 155); 3, Snow River (Hearne, 149). 2 and neck. (A.M. 4).
- 1.58.4—Criffel (Needa, 160); 2, Tornado Star (Wei, 150); 3, Blandford (Poy, 165). 3 and 2. (4th E.).
- 1.59.2—Discovery Bay (Yuen, 140); 2, A Great Time (Woo, 162); 3, Macquarie River (Wei, 140). 1 and short head. (2nd E. 2).
- 2.01.4—Chiltern (Encarnacao, 160); 2, Cockleroi (Needa, 149); 3, Devonian (Black, 150). ½ & ½. (5th E. 2).
- 2.02.0—Sydney Lad (Needa, 158); 2, Baffin Bay (Wei, 144); 3, Bruno (Churchill, 155). ¾ and 3. (4th E.).
- 2.04.1—Triumphant Day (Tao, 165); 2, Chiltern (Encarnacao, 156); 3, Devonian (Black, 150). 2 and 2. (3rd E.).
- 2.06.0—Janber (Raymond, 152); 2, Baffin Bay (Black, 154); 3, Ajax (Liang, 148). 2 & 2. (5th E. 2).
- 2.14.3—Lucky Lad (Needa, 154); 2, Lancashire Chips (Black, 154); 3, Able Amazon (S. W. Pan, 154). Neck & 3. (A.M. 2).
- 2.15.1—Courtting Eve (Pih, 153); 2, Lucky Lad (Needa, 162); 3, Snowy River (Raymond, 157). 1½ and 2½. (4th E.).
- 2.15.3—Lucky Lad (V. V. Needa, 152); 2, Snowy River (P. Y. T. Wei, 149); 3, Lancashire Chips (D. Black, 153). neck and 1½. (A.M. 5).
- 2.20.0—Happy Landings (Davis, 152); 2, Devonian (Hearne, 155); 3,



- National Victory (Chanson, 152). 2 & 4. (A.M. 4).
- 1½ Miles
- 2.49.0—Triumphant Day (Tao, 156); 2, Chiltern (Encarnacao, 155); 3, Cockleroi (Needa, 152). 3 & 3 head. (A.M. 3).

INDOOR BOWLS

"DARING" BEATS FLEET AIR ARM

An interesting game was witnessed at the Hong Kong Bowling Alleys on Thursday when H.M.S. Daring, of the 21st Destroyer Flotilla beat a team from the Fleet Air Arm by 20 points.

H.M.S. DARING			
W. H. Easton	97	140	91
Burn	122	125	79
Lt. Roberts	78	124	93
Lt. (E) Shaxby	73	55	65
Total	1142		

FLEET AIR ARM			
F. O. Lumsden	101	97	109
Flt. Lt. Cooper	97	97	109
F. O. Compton	99	97	67
F. O. Thomas	99	84	68
Total	1122		

HOME CRICKET

(Continued from Page 18)

TO-DAY'S MATCHES

- At Lord's—Middlesex v. Yorkshire.
- At Newport (Mon.)—Glamorgan v. Somerset.
- At Gloucester (Wagon Works Ground)—Gloucestershire v. Essex.
- At Manchester—Lancashire v. Nottinghamshire.
- At Leicester—Leicestershire v. Kent (H. A. Smith's Benefit).
- At Horsham—Sussex v. Surrey.
- At Birmingham—Warwickshire v.

KOTEWALL CUP ALLOCATIONS

The following are the allocations of the Kotewall Charity Cup Competition.	
H.K. Chinese Athletes Emergency Service Corps	\$750
M.C.L. (Naval Branch)	400
R. N. Benevolent Trust	400
Thetis Disaster Fund	250
S.C.A.A. Free Schools	700
Army Charities	800
B.F.R.D.C. Shelter	500
Street Sleepers Society	300
Children's Playground	250
Society for the Protection of Children	300
Little Sisters of the Poor	400
Boys and Girls Club Association	250
The family of the late Mr. Shui Chak-wing	200
	\$5,500

REES TO MEET HARGREAVES IN GOLF FINAL

Semi-final round results in the "Yorkshire Evening News" golf tournament are as follows:—

Rees beat Pose (Buenos Aires) at the 20th.

J. Hargreaves (Walmesley) beat Arthur Lees (Dore and Totley) 2 and 1.

The final will be played to-day over 36 holes.—Reuter.

EARLIER RESULTS

In the quarter-finals Rees beat Don Curtis (Bournemouth) one up.

Martin Pose (Buenos Aires) beat Alfred Perry (former British open champion) one up.

J. Hargreaves (Walmesley) beat John Busson (Pannal) four and three.

Arthur Lees (Dore and Totley) beat Serra (Uruguay) one up.—Reuter.

- Hampshire
- At Dudley—Worcestershire v. Northamptonshire.
- At Derby—Derbyshire v. West India.
- At Cambridge—Cambridge University v. Free Foresters.

Arrival Of Their Majesties In New York

12.12.20 p.m.—Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.
12.30 p.m.—Deanna Durbin (Vocal) and the Orchestra Raymonde.
Delibes In Vienna (arr. Walter).... Orchestra Raymonde.
The Mids Of Cadiz (Delibes—film 'That Certain Age'); My Own (film 'That Certain Age').... Deanna Durbin (Vocal) with Orchestra.
The Grand Duchess—Galop (Offenbach); Tritsch Tratsch Polka (J. Strauss).... Orchestra Raymonde.
Someone To Care For Me (film 'Three Smart Girls'); Il Bacio (Luigi Arditi).... Deanna Durbin (Vocal).
The Dancing Clock (Ewing).... Orchestra Raymonde.
1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Haydn—Symphony No. 101 In D Minor (The "Clock"). Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York conducted by A. Toscanini.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.
1.40 p.m.—The London Palladium Orchestra.
Marche Symphonique (Savino); Japanese Carnival (Andre de Basque); Vivienne (Finck); Longing (Haydn Wood); In Holiday Mood—Suite (Ketelbey); Sunbeams And Butterflies (Ketelbey).
2.15 p.m.—Close down.

Today's Wireless

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6 p.m.—Dance Music.
Tangos—Do you See the Stars? I Dream Of The Puszta..... Emil Roosz & His Orchestra.
Fox-Trots—The Girl In The Upstairs Flat; The Blackpool Walk.... Felix Mendelssohn & His Orchestra.
Fox-Trots—I Fall In Love With You Every Day (film 'College Swing'); How'Dja Like To Love Me? (film 'College Swing').... Jimmy Dorsey & His Orchestra.
Tangos—Crepusculo; Por Que?.... Geraldo & His Gaucho Tango Orch.
Slow Fox-Trot—Hurry Home; Quickstep—Could Be..... Mantovani & His Orchestra.
Waltz—I Shall Always Remember You Smiling; Fox-Trot—The 7.15 To Dreamland.... Hugo Rignold & His Orchestra.
Fox-Trots—Ten Little Miles From Town; Home At Sundown.... The Organ, The Dance Band & Me.
6.45 p.m.—London Relay—'Lucky Dip'. Twentieth Edition. Presented by William MacLurg.
7.30 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.
7.32 p.m.—Old Time Music Hall Tunes and Songs.
Silver threads among the gold; My mother was a lady; The pardon

that came too late; Hot time in the old town to-night.... Frank Luther (Vocal) with Zora Layman & the Century Quartet.
My little Octoroon; Soldiers of the Queen.... Salon Orchestra cond. by Fred Hartley with Gordon Little (Vocal).
The Naughty Nineties—Medley. Intro: Maiden's Prayer; While London's Fast Asleep; Two Lovely Black Eyes; As Your Hair Grows Whiter; Glorious Beer; Pas de Quatro; Daisy Bell; After the Ball; She Was One of the Early Birds.... Old-Timers Sketch Company with Fred Hartley's Quintet.
The Gay Nineties—Waltz. Medley. Intro: Meet me to night in Dreamland; Maggie Murphy's home; In the shade of the old apple tree, etc.... New Mayfair Orchestra with Vocal.
The Gay Nineties—Medley. Intro: The sidewalks of New York; Two little girls in blue; Everybody works but Father; I don't want to play in your yard; Johnny, get your gun.... Frank Luther (Vocal) with Zora Layman & the Century Quartet.
Lily Of Laguna; Waiting At The Church; Barn Dances..... Billy Merrin & His Commanders.
Sousa Medley. Intro: The Invincible Eagle—March; El Capitan—March; Sabre and Spurs—March; Her Majesty the Queen.... The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards cond. by Lieut. J. C. Windram.
8 p.m.—Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.
8.03 p.m.—Studio Concert by Hal Lorenzo (Jazz-Piano) and Toby Gray (Accordeon).
1. Medley: (a) Small Hotel; (b) Limehouse Blues; (c) Moon-glow.
2. Medley of Fred Astaire's Ginger Rogers' Hits: (a) The way you look to-night; (b) Smoke gets in your eyes; (c) I won't dance.... Accordeon and Piano.
3. Selection from 'Sweethearts': (a) Every lover must meet his fate; (b) Sweethearts—Waltz; (c) Pretty as a picture.... Piano Solo.
4. Medley: (a) Rose Marie; (b) Indian Love Call; (c) Tea for Two.... Accordeon and Piano.

5. Medley: (a) This may be the night; (b) Only when you're in my arms; (c) Angel.... Piano Solo.
6. Medley: (a) Kinda Lonesome; (b) Confidentially; (c) Hide, Tenderfoot, Ride; (d) Organ Grinder's Swing.... Accordeon and Piano.
8.30 p.m.—Local Sport Results.
8.33 p.m.—A concert by Ina Souez (Soprano), Charles Kullman (Tenor), and the Boston Promenade Orchestra. Strike Up The Band (from the musical comedy).... Boston Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler.
I Want Your Heart (Carter & Haydn Wood); Love Everlasting (Cushing & Friml).... Ina Souez (Soprano) with Orchestra.
Waltz (from 'The Sleeping Beauty' Ballet, Op. 66a).... Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler.
Smilin' Through (Penn); Gypsy Love Song (Herbert).... Charles Kullman (Tenor) with Orchestra.
Jealousy—Tango Tzigane (Jacob Gade).... Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler.
My Hero (from 'The Chocolate Soldier'—O. Strauss); Love Will Find A Way (from 'The Maid of the Mountains'—Fraser-Simson).... Ina Souez (Soprano) with Orch.
March Of The Little Leaden Soldiers (Pierne).... Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler.
I'm Falling In Love With Someone (Herbert).... Charles Kullman (Tenor) with Orchestra.
Entrance Of The Little Fauns (from 'Cydalise'—Pierne); Mosquito Dance (White).... Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler.

9.15 p.m.—London Relay—The News.
9.30 p.m.—London Relay—'London Log'.
9.45 p.m.—London Relay—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News.
9.50 p.m.—Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hong Kong Hotel.
With recorded intervals from Z.B.W.
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♠ 10 7 4
♥ 9 8 6 3
♦ 8 5
♣ Q 7 6 2

♠ 6 5
♥ J 10 2
♦ A K Q 4
♣ J 10 8 3

♠ A K Q 9 2
♥ K 7 4
♦ 9 6 3
♣ A 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	1♠	Pass
Pass	Dbl.	2♠	3♦
Pass	Pass	3♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

The great majority of players sitting in East's position wouldn't dream of disturbing South's one-

spade bid. But East reasoned thus: "Since South has failed to open with a forcing two-bid and North is so weak that he can't even keep the bidding open, it is reasonable to assume that my opponents cannot make game. Furthermore, since North is so palpably weak, my partner should have a fair hand even though he failed to overcall. Therefore it is quite likely that I can either make some contract or push South to a point where he will be set."

On this logical reasoning East re-opened the bidding by making a takeout double. South now interjected a two-spade bid, hoping to shut out West. But West, having a fairly good hand, put in a three-diamond bid. South should, probably have given up now, but he was willing to take a small penalty

rather than allow his opponents to make a part score. Thus he ventured three spades, although he knew he was overbidding.

East and West could have made three diamonds and South was set one trick at three spades—not a very large swing but to our mind an interesting competitive bidding situation.

Yesterday you were Merwin Maier's partner and held:

♠ A 8 x x
♥ A J x
♦ A K x x x
♣ 5

The bidding:

You	Schenken	Maier	Jacoby
1♦	Pass	1♠	Pass
(7)			

ANSWER: Your correct bid is four spades. This is a Slam Invitation and shows a hand strong enough to offer a good play for game even if partner is very weak. Score 100% for four spades, 70% for three spades (not so strong), 70% for three hearts (a Slam Invitational Game Force that is not quite justified), 60% for three diamonds, 0 for any other bid.

QUESTION NO. 122.

Both sides are vulnerable. Oswald Jacoby is the partner and you hold:

♠ 10 x
♥ A x x
♦ A Q x x
♣ Q 10 x x

The bidding:

Jacoby	Burnstine	You	Schenken
4♠	Pass	(7)	
What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)			

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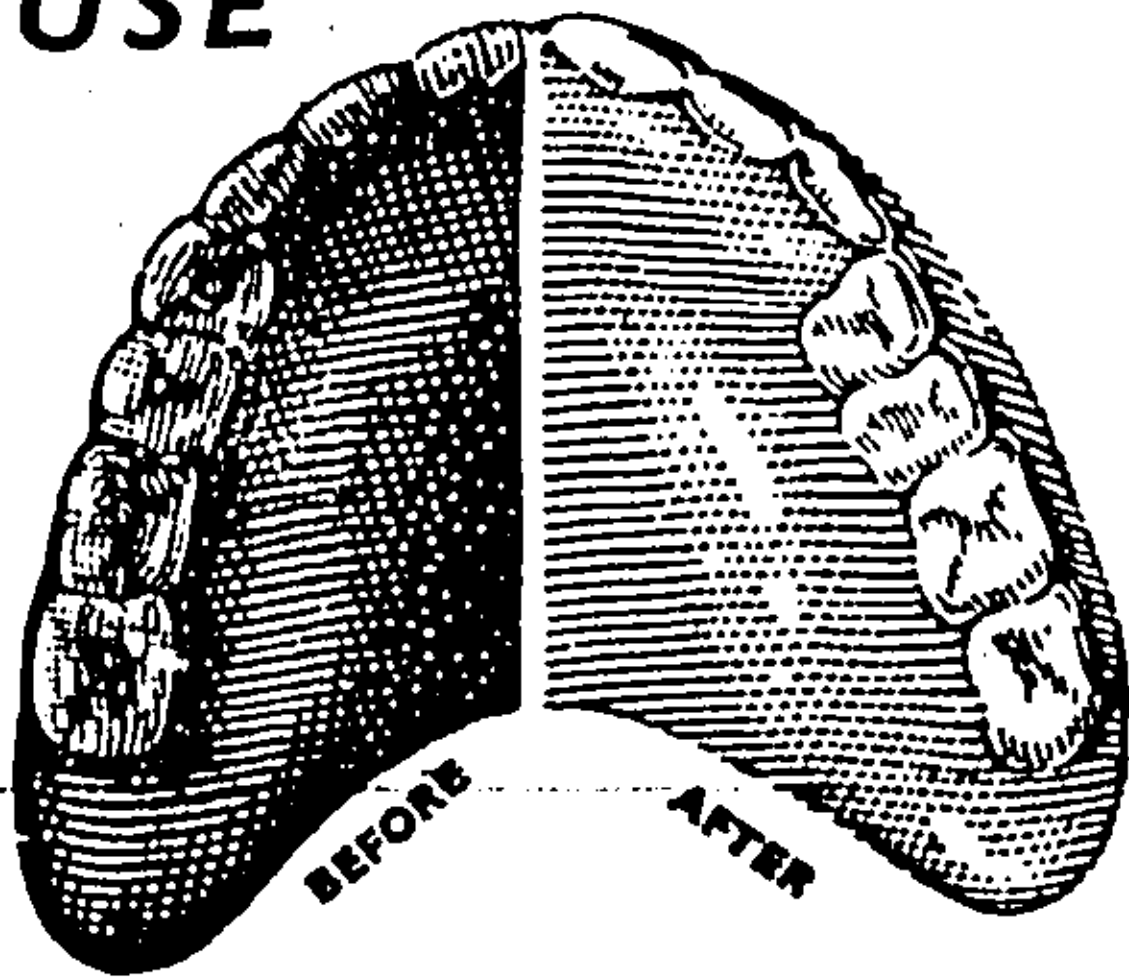
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1	Inland Lot No. 5520	North of Inland Lot No. 504, Ventris Road.					As per sale plan	31,045	580
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2	Rural Building Lot No. 123	South East of Rural Building Lot No. 98, Mount Cameron Road.					As per sale plan	13,100	190
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			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.	About	\$	\$
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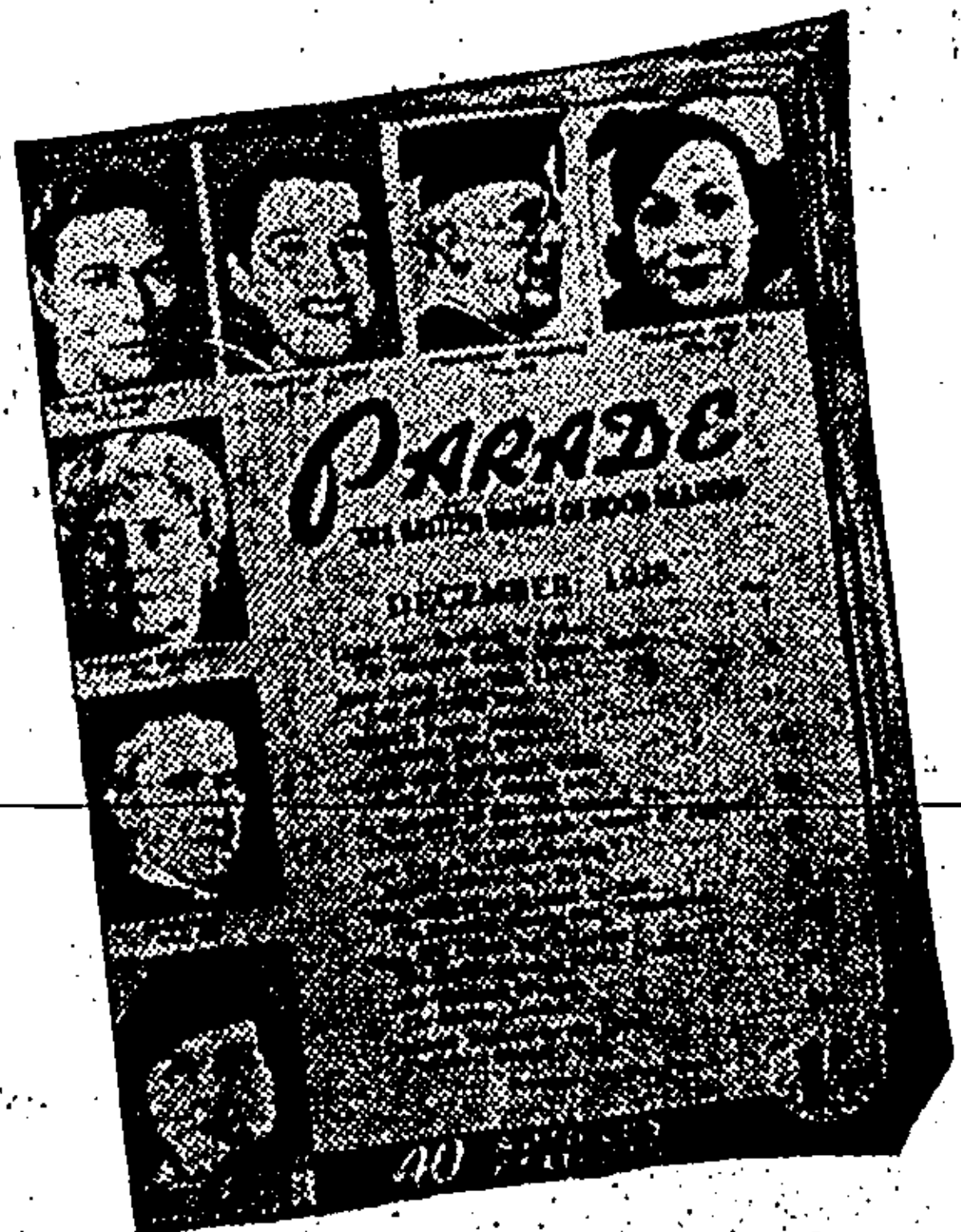
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JAPAN'S DRUG CAMPAIGN IN CHINA

Geneva, To-day.

When the League Opium Commission met yesterday to consider its Report to the Council, Dr. Victor Hoo (the Chinese delegate) insisted on insertion of a paragraph recording his allegations against the Japanese authorities in the occupied areas of China.

The allegations, which Dr. Hoo declared were amply collaborated by neutral observers, were to the effect that the drug habit was deliberately encouraged among the Chinese people, both to increase revenue and enfeeble Chinese resistance to the Japanese arms.

The Yugo-Slav rapporteur, M. Gavrilovic, objected strongly, but the majority of members decided it was impossible to refuse the request of a responsible member of the Commission.

M. Gavrilovic's attitude was severely criticised by several speakers. — Reuter.

TIBETAN MISSION

Shanghai, To-day.

The Tibetan delegation led by Tingchie Hutuetu, which arrived in Chungking recently to offer the Chinese Government, on behalf of Tibetan monasteries, a

SHANGHAI DOLLAR DECLINE

New York, To-day.
The Shanghai dollar further declined on the New York foreign exchange market yesterday as no news was forthcoming regarding the Chinese Control Fund's policy.

Other currencies were very dull. Guilders were firm on support by the Dutch control. — Reuter.

TWO RAIDS ON CHUNGKING

CHUNGKING, TO-DAY.
JAPANESE PLANES CARRIED OUT TWO RAIDS ON THE CITY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Three Japanese planes are claimed to have been shot down by Chinese A.A. guns on the outskirts.

Several incendiary bombs were dropped setting fire to a number of buildings. The fires were, however, under control within an hour, and no serious damage was caused.

Casualties suffered were small. — Our Own Correspondent.

contribution towards the relief of wounded soldiers and war refugees, has left for Chengtu, capital of Szechuen. After a brief stay, the delegation will return to Lhasa. — Trans-Ocean.

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A European, T. A. Warnes, was cautioned and ordered to pay \$5 to complainant at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Defendant, whose address was given as 11 Oxley Road, top floor, was charged with assaulting private watchman 274 at the offices of the Central Bank of China in the Peninsula Hotel last night.

Inspector A. J. Johnson said that complainant at 10.50 last night saw defendant pushing open the door of the Bank, where several clerks were still at work.

Complainant tried to induce him to leave but was struck several times in the face. The attack was witnessed by one of the bank clerks.

Comment on the situation that has developed at the D.B.S. from the appointment as head prefect of a boy "politically objectionable" to other boys, was refused by Mr. G. A. Goodban, Headmaster of the D.B.S., this morning, on the ground that the matter is an internal affair and of no public interest.

It is understood that a walk-out has been threatened by 14 Chinese prefects and a number of other students, on refusal of the school authorities to rescind the appointment of a Formosan student of Chinese extraction as head prefect.

Deputations were sent to the Headmaster and to Bishop Hall, chairman of the School Committee, but no settlement has yet been reached.

There is no question of a "general strike" developing. Those protesting represent only a section of the School.

The following statement was issued to-day by the Financial Secretary:—In order to allay any uncertainty caused by recent movements in Chinese exchange, I am authorised to state that the Hong Kong Government has no intention of devaluing the Hong Kong dollar or making any change in the policy pursued since 1936 by the Hong Kong Exchange Fund.



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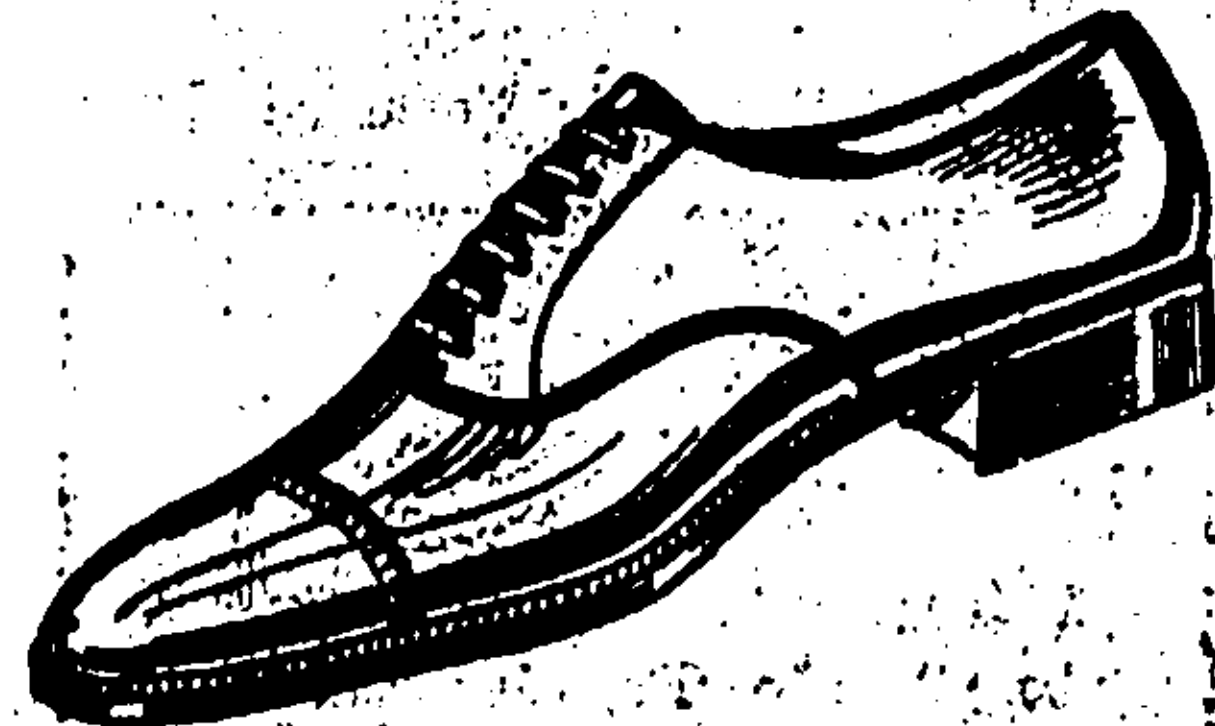
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